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ATTACK ON BRYAN BRINGS A REPLY

Shoulders Blame For Criticism of Underwood in His Weekly Paper.

TELLS HOW IT CAME ABOUT

Commoner Declares He Will Give House Leader Opportunity to Discuss Some Other Things. Nothing to Withdraw.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Voluntarily assuming full responsibility for the editorial recently published in his weekly paper, which caused Congressman Underwood, of Alabama, to brand him as a "falsifier" on the floor of Congress, William J. Bryan today replied to the attack and declared that he intended to give the Democratic leader of the House an early opportunity to discuss some other things.

Mr. Bryan granted Congressman Underwood's request that he make public the information on which the editorial was based. He declared that the information on which the editorial was founded was taken from a Washington dispatch published by the Omaha newspaper.

"If that report is not correct," said Mr. Bryan, "I take it for granted that Mr. Underwood will read the report before the House and deny it."

"If the report is correct I have nothing to withdraw. If it is erroneous I shall withdraw my criticism of Mr. Underwood so far as it is based on his action in that particular case. Whatever the outcome in this particular instance, I do not withdraw my criticism of Mr. Underwood on other occasions and I intend to take early opportunity to give him some other things to discuss."

"Yes, I read the report of Mr. Underwood's speech in the morning papers," said Mr. Bryan, "the criticism to which he refers is contained in an editorial which I wrote myself."

"The report on which the editorial was based," continued Mr. Bryan, "appeared last week, after the House caucus of July 25th. I am not sure of the exact date, but it was not earlier than Wednesday of last week, and not later than Sunday morning. The dispatch from Washington said that Speaker Clark offered a resolution—a modification or a substitute for a resolution by another member—instructing the Ways and Means committee to proceed with the preparation of other bills. The dispatch stated that Mr. Clark was supported by a number of members, but that Representatives Underwood and Fitzgerald led a fight against the resolution and defeated it.

"The report also quoted Congressman Kitchin as insisting upon the introduction of a bill reducing the tariff upon iron and steel and quotes Mr. Kitchin as calling attention to Mr. Underwood's holdings in the steel company and as expressing the fear that in case of failure to proceed with the reduction of the tariff on iron and steel such failure might be attributed to Mr. Underwood's interests in the business. My editorial was based upon this published report."

Mr. Bryan was in the city between trains and is now on his way to Iowa.

Underwood Stands Firm.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Democratic Leader Underwood, of the House, stood squarely today upon his answer to William J. Bryan's attack on him in connection with the iron and steel tariff schedules. He had little comment to make upon Mr. Bryan's interview in Chicago today in which the Nebraskan again challenged his position.

"Mr. Bryan says I ought to give a full report of the caucus to the House," said Mr. Underwood. "I did give such a report yesterday, and my statements were confirmed by the other members of my party as to what took place in the caucus. I have not seen the newspaper dispatch upon which Mr. Bryan based his criticism of me, but judging from his statements, it did not agree with the facts."

Mr. Underwood would not discuss Mr. Bryan's declaration that he had other points of difference with him.

Read Bryan Out of Party.

Mount Pleasant, Iowa, August 3.—William Jennings Bryan speaking at a chautauqua here today referred to Representative Underwood's statement in the House yesterday as follows:

"George Fred Williams was the first man to read me out of the Democratic party, but this happened so often that I am used to it. The last time was yesterday."

Mr. Bryan did not mention Underwood by name. He declared in his lecture that he would never again run for the Presidency. He reiterated his charge that Roosevelt and other Republicans had bodily stolen many of his political theories and policies of their platforms.

Port Au Prince, Haiti, Aug. 3.—The feeling between the two rival revolutionary parties headed by Gen. Leconte and Gen. Firmin, which today occupied the capital, is becoming more acute and grave developments are probable. The revolutionists refused to accept the authority of the committee of safety as arranged by the diplomatic crops and a new committee is being chosen.

For those who are looking for Manhattan shirts, big reduction sale now on at J. M. Solky & Co's. **

IMPORTANT MEASURE PASSED

Congressional Re-apportionment Bill Goes Through Senate—Bears Initiative and Referendum Feature—Details.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Bearing an initiative and referendum feature to safeguard against gerrymandering in a number of States, the Congressional re-apportionment bill passed the Senate today. It fixes the future House membership at 433—with two more when Arizona and New Mexico attain Statehood—instead of the present 391. There was not even the formality of a roll call on the final vote. Two amendments, both offered by Senator Burton, of Ohio, were attached to the House measure and on these a conference with the House will be held—all that stands in the way of President Taft's approval of the bill, which is to take effect March 4, 1913.

The increase in the membership of the House will mean an added expense to the country of approximately $400,000 a year. The salaries of the 42 new members will aggregate $315,000. Each will have at least one clerk at $1,500, which will add $63,000 to the total. Mileage and other incidental expenses will still further increase the sum, bringing it to the amount first named.

Under this decennial re-apportionment there is to be no reduction in the membership from any State. The average Congressional district will contain over 17,000 greater population than at present, the average district comprising 211,877 under the new plan.

The initiative and referendum provision was tacked on to the bill just before its passage today. It was one of the Burton amendments. It provided that in case of an increase in the representation of any State, the re-districting, instead of being done by the State Legislature, as provided by the House bill, should be "in the manner provided by the laws" of the State, thus leaving the re-districting subject to the initiative and referendum laws wherever they have been placed on a State's statute books.

These States have adopted the initiative and referendum in the form of constitutional amendments:

Oregon, Oklahoma, Nevada, Missouri, Montana, South Dakota, Colorado, Arkansas and Maine. Utah has adopted a similar amendment but the provision is inoperative because of failure of the legislature to enact the necessary accompanying legislation. Besides these in the following States such an amendment has been submitted by the Legislatures, but has not yet been voted upon: California, Washington, Wyoming, North Dakota, Nebraska, Florida and Idaho.

This amendment was agreed to by a strict party vote, 39 to 28, the Republican senators voting for it, and the Democrats against it. The other amendment adopted prescribed that "candidatess for representative or representatives at large, shall be nominated in the same manner as candidates for governor, unless otherwise provided by the laws of such State."

In some States the representation is increased by this bill, but through constitutional limitation or other cause their Legislatures cannot divide the States into districts. The House bill provided for an election in such case, but not for a nomination and the second Burton amendment is designed to meet that emergency.

Three other amendments were voted down. These included provisions by Root, of New York, to retain the present membership of 391, which was defeated 46 to 23 by McCumber, of North Dakota, fixing the membership at 405, defeated 22 to 47; and by Reed, of Missouri, rpoviding that where any State's representation is increased such representatives should be elected at large by the State until the State is re-districted by the Legislature "or by the people," defeated 38 to 29.

The Senate bill will be taken up by the House Census Committee tomorrow morning. Many House Democrats expressed the belief that the amendments may be accepted by the House.

YACHT CORONET IN DISTRESS.

Revenue Cutters Are Sent to Serch for Vessel Off Hatteras.

Washington, August 3. — Revenue cutters were ordered to sea from Norfolk today to search for the yacht Coronet, believed to be in distress off Cape Hatteras, with about fifty members of the "Holy Ghost and Us" Society aboard.

When the Southern Pacific liner Elvalle reached New York late yesterday she reported that when off Hatteras she spoke a power boat with five men who said they were from the Coronet, about eighteen miles at sea and trying to make a point in Chesapeake bay to obtain help and provisions. They reported the yacht disabled and the folks aboard in need of food. The Coronet's home port is Shilho, Maine.

NO RACES AT JACKSONVILLE.

Decided by Directors of Florida Live Stock Association.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 3.—Nt attempt to race horses next Winter will be made. It was decided today by directors of the Florida Live Stock Fair Association, under whose auspices the meets at Moncrief Park have been held the last three years. Their action sets at rest reports that they would test the anti-betting law. What disposition will be made of the track has not been decided.

Kansas City, Mo., August 3.—Jack Cannon, of Kansas City, will meet J. H. Winston, of Norfolk, Va., in the final rounds of the singles in the Missouri Valley Championship Tennis Tournament tomorrow or Saturday.

PACTS ARE SIGNED FOR WORLD PEACE

General Arbitration Treaties With Three Countries Ready for Senate.

SCENE AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Greatest Step Toward Abolition of Warfare World Thus Far Has Taken—Taft, Knox, Bryce and Phalle Signed.

Washington, Aug. 3.—President Taft will send to the Senate tomorrow the general arbitration treaties between the United States and Great Britain and the United States and France, signed for this government and for Great Britain here today and signed in Paris for the government of France.

The brief messages of transmittal to the Senate were written and signed by the President today and tomorrow it will lie with the United States Senate to ratify what has been termed the greatest step toward the abolition of warfare that the world thus far has taken. Already there have been mutterings from the Senate over these treaties. President Taft is noncommittal, but was anxious to put them before that body before the adjournment of the special session.

The ceremony of signing the treaties took place in the President's library in the White House.

Small formality attended the ceremony. Secretary of State Knox, British Ambassador Bryce, Counsellor Chandler Anderson, of the State Department, Osmund Overy, second secretary of the British embassy; the Vicomte Saint Phalle, of the French embassy, two members of the cabinet, a score of newspaper men and three photographers were present. The treaty with Great Britain was signed at 3:10 this afternoon. Secretary Knox and Ambassador Bryce clicked their cameras in accompaniment to the scratching pens. The French treaty was signed by Mr. Knox one minute later.

The treaties out of the way President Taft took his place at the desk. Before him were laid the two messages to the Senate. He affixed his name and then, so far as the executive end of the government is concerned, the matter was concluded.

The President's library had been cleared for the occasion. Only a flat top mahogany desk was left standing in one corner just under a window that looks out over the White House grounds and the Potomac river. On the desk were the treaties, the messages to the Senate; and ink well with a golden eagle with outstretched wings on an onyx base, two pens and a vase filled with golden rod, the National flower of the United States.

A few minutes after 3 o'clock Secretary Knox took his seat on one side of the desk and Ambassador Bryce found his place just opposite. President Taft, Mr. Overy, Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, secretary to the President, C. D. Hilles, Major A. W. Butt, the President's aide, and Councellor Anderson, stood in a group along side. Mr. Knox looked at the photographs, took up a pen and waited. "All right," said the camera battery.

The secretary and the ambassador, pens filled with ink, set to work on the instant. Simultaneously there was a great clicking of camera shutters.

Mr. Bryce left the desk after signing and Mr. Knox remained alone. The French treaty was passed to him and as Vicomte Phalle looked on he once again wrote his name in a bold hand.

"I think you ought to have that pen, Mr. President," said Mr. Knox as he finished.

"No, you had better keep it, Mr. Secretary," said the President.

Mr. Knox carried that pen away and the one used by Mr. Bryce was taken by a White House attache.

Ten minutes after the ceremony was over Mr. Bryce was walking down the capital street through the rain and the President and Secretary Knox were planning to play golf together at Chevy Chase. The British ambassador left this evening for his Summer home at Seal Harbor, Me.

Signed Treaty in Paris.

Paris, Aug. 3.—American initiative in unrestricted arbitration was crowned today by the signing of a treaty of permanent peace by the terms of which France and the United States agree to submit to an arbitral court all differences that may arise between the two governments, even though the dignity, honor and vital interests of either republic may be involved.

The ceremony of affixing the signature to the unprecedented document was simplicity itself, but marked with a salemnity reflected in the faces of those who had the honor to take part.

They met at the ministry of Foreign Affairs, in the office of A. Mollard, chief of the protocol. The treaty was signed for France by Jean Jules Jusserand, the French ambassador to the United States, and in the preesnce of Robert Macon, American ambassador at Paris; Arthur Bailly-Blanchard, secretary of the American embassy; Eugene Pierre, secretary general of the Preisdent of the French Chamber of Deputies, and Gaston Douchement, assistant chief of the protocall, who officiated in the absence of M. Mollard.

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M'VEAGH HAS THE FINDINGS

Wickersham's Report on Relations of National City Bank to National City Company—May Prove to be Illegal.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Attorney General Wickersham's report upon his inquiry into the relations of the National City Bank, of New York, with the recently organized National City Company, was transmitted today to Secretary MacVeagh. It probably will be a day or two before Secretary MacVeagh reviews the findings, and a week or more before he decides what action, if any, the Treasury Department shall take.

It was learned today that the banking interests are prepared for an adverse decision and that a complete understanding with the government will be reached without litigation.

As Secretary MacVeagh's final decision will outline the government's attitude toward concentration of control or ownership of National banks by the "Security Company" method a situation which affects banking interests the country over—there is every indication that the government's course will be laid out with the greatest deliberation and the whole question may be discussed by the cabinet before any public announcement is made.

That the "Security Company" idea has grown to National proportions, was verified further today by inspection of lists of National bank stockholders, which are on file with the Camptroller of the Currency. Government officials admit they were unaware of the situation until the Attorney General's investigation of the National City Company brought it to light.

The formation of the Frist Trust Company, of Chicago, said to be the Chicago First National Bank's "security company", was approved by Treasury officials, tacitly at least, when James B. Forgan conceived it several years ago. This was admitted at the Treasury Department today. The organization of the first security company by the First National Bank, of New York, followed soon after.

Millions of dollars in National bank stocks are entwined in the organization of these three great holding corporations, and the 300 or more smaller ones which have been discovered. If Secretary MacVeagh acts upon Attorney General Wickersham's finding, treasury officials will share with the bankers the problem of dissociating the "security companies" from the banks without disturbing the banking power of the business of the localities in which they exist.

If Secretary MacVeagh's decision is made upon the Attorney General's findings a readjustment of the holding of stocks of many of the greatest National banks of the country may be necessary.

MORE MUD-SLINGING

Senator Simmons Denies Deductions In a Texas Paper.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., August 3.—Senator Simmons said tonight that a story copied in the News and Observer, of Raleigh, from the Dallas, Texas, News is false and that no intelligent man in the State, not excepting the editor of the News and Observer, does not know that the charges are untrue. The story charges that Mr. Simmons controlled the executive committee of the State in 1908 and told the lumber trust to "come across" with funds and a promise of support for him for the Senate. The lumber circular, it is said, was part of the trade. Mr. Simmons, brands all of this as false.

Senator Overman does not think that cotton bill should pass at this session but be continued so that mill men can be heard. He will make an effort to have action postponed. H. E. C.B.

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 3.—Members of the Automobile Club of Columbia, offiliated with the Automobile Association of America, expect an early decision from the contest board on the protest filed yesterday as to route to be taken in the Glidden tour. The local club holds that the direct line from New York to Jacksonville is either via Raleigh through Columbia to Savannah, or via Charlotte, through Columbia to Savannah.

OUTLINES.

The House yesterday passed the big cotton tariff bill, another important revision measure and took up the farmers' free list bill as it recently passed the Senate——William Jennings Bryan yesterday made a reply to the attack of House Leader Underwood, shouldering the blame for the article which appeared in his weekly papers——The general arbitration treaties between United States and Great Britain and United States and Germany were signed at the White House yesterday——Secretary Wilson will likely be called to testimony before the committee investigating the charges made against Dr. Wiley——The re-apportionment bill, bearing the initiative and referendum feature, was passed in the Senate yesterday.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 3-8, offered at 2 1-2; spot cotton closed quiet, 10 points higher, middling uplands 12.60, middling gulf 12.85; flour was firmly held with a fair trade; wheat spot strong, No. 2 red 94 3-4 elevator and 96 fob afloat; corn spot strong, No.2 corn 71 3-4 elevator and 96 fob afloat; oats spot firmer, standard white 47 1-2; rosin and turpentine easy.

If you want a straw hat now is the time to get one at one-half off regular price at J. M. Solky & Co's. **

HOUSE CONTINUES TARIFF REVISION

Big Democratic Cotton Tariff Bill Passed Without an Amendment.

TAKE UP FREE LIST MEASURE

Presented as It Passed Senate and Several Amendments Have Been Added—Important Action in House Yesterday.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Supported by all the Democrats and by 30 insurgent Republicans the Democratic cotton tariff bill, the third of the big tariff revision measures brought forward by the Democratic House of Representatives passed the body early this evening by 202 to 91. The bill cuts the average tariff on cotton manufactured goods from 48 to 27 per cent. ad valorem, a 21 per cent. reduction in duty that the Democratic leaders estimate to reduce revenues by about $3,000,000.

Not an amendment was offered to the bill, although the Republicans attacked it vigorously on account of alleged increases in certain items over the rates of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law. Scarcely had the cheers that greeted the passage of the cotton revision bill subsided, when Democratic Leader Underwood, calling up the free list bill as it passed the Senate a few days ago, accomplished a strategic move which surprised the Republicans.

He asked for a conference on all the amendments to the free list bill except that of Senator Gronna, of North Dakota, putting cement on the free list. He urged that the House accept that amendment adding to it lemons. Pacific coast Republicans made ineffectual attempts to stop this sudden and unexpected putting of lemons on the free list, but the amendment carried. The change gave the House Democrats what they claimed to be an added advantage in dealing with the Senate in the conference committee.

Tonight the Republican leaders in both Houses of Congress called in absent members from all parts of the country, in preparation for a threatened attempt of the Democrats to pass the wool tariff bill over President Taft's veto. The Democratic leaders in the House have asserted within the last 24 hours that they have the necessary two-thirds majority to pass the wool bill over the President's veto and have been doing effective missionary work in the Senate today. The Republican managers in the House insist tonight that they have enough votes to prevent the two-thirds majority in support of the wool bill.

The wool conference will start at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when the committees of the House and Senate will meet in the effort to effect a compromise. It is possible that the compromise can be secured at one sitting of the committee in which case the bill will come back to the two Houses tomorrow or Saturday. Speaker Clark tonight appointed as a conference committee on the free list bill the same conferees who will act on the wool bill, Representatives Underwood, Randell, of Texas, and Harrison, of New York, Democrats; Payne and Dalzell, Republicans.

Bitter attacks on Democratic caucus methods by Representative Payne, of New York, and other Republican leaders, and a charge of Representative Prouty, of Iowa, Republican insurgent, supported by Representative McCall, of Massachusetts, and Mill of Connecticut, that the Underwood bill made enormous increases in the tariff on certain cotton cloth manufactured in Southern Illinois, marked the closing hours of debate on the cotton bill.

Former Republican Speaker Cannon upheld the Democratic caucus policy, declaring that "this is a government by party organization", while Representative Lenroot, Republican insurgent, earnestly defended the cotton measure and denounced the attempts of his fellow Republicans to make it appear that the bill revised any schedule upward.

Representative Prouty said that until today he had intended to support the cotton bill, but figuring with his pencil, he "found that the ad valorem rates on cotton cloth valued at between seven and 12 cents, a type of cloth manufactured almost entirely in Southern mills, had actually been increased as high as 250 per cent. above the Payne bill rates.

Democratic Leader Underwood replied that ad valorem tariff schedules had to be fixed on an average basis, placing certain rates between two lines, top and bottom, and that Mr. Prouty had picked out the single schedule under which there was an apparent increase. He said that under this schedule last year just $1,040 of the $700,000,000 worth of cotton goods consumed in this country were imported. He claimed that Mr. Prouty's charge was too trivial to be treated seriously.

Representative Harrison, of New York, a member of the Ways and Means Committee, calling the charge "picayunish and contemptible," said, "I am not a Southern man, but I absolutely repudiate the insinuations that any sectionalism or favor has been shown in this bill."

Representative Payne moved that the bill re-committed to be held in committee until the tariff reports at the regular session in December. The motion was lost without roll call. Then the bill was adopted without amendment.

AWAITING WILSON TESTIMONY

Ramsen Board Subject of Bitter Contention Before Investigating Committee—Wiley Charges Are Considered.

Washington, August 3.—Until Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is called to the witness stand before the House Committee on Agricultural Expenditures the true purpose for which the Remsen Pure Food Referee Board was created promises to be the subject of bitter contention before that committee. Whether Secretary Wilson removes the feeling that apparently exists in the committee against the board remains to be seen when he takes the stand, which will probably not be for several days.

Official reports of a hearing in the Agricultural Department when Secretary Wilson stated to saccharine manufacturers that the Remsen Board had been appointed to "conserve the interests of the manufacturers" were produced before the committee today. Accompanying these reports was a file of letters from the Agricultural Department, bearing upon the Remsen Board's affairs. In one of these letters Secretary Wilson assured Dr. Taylor now of the University of Pennsylvania, that he had not made the statements credited to him regarding the purpose for which the Remsen Board was formed.

The Remsen Pure Food Referee Board would welcome a finding that it is illegal, declared Dr. Ira W. Remsen, chairman of the board, before the committee today. This is the tribunal to which Dr. Wiley's finding that benzoate of soda was deleteriora to health.

Dr. Remsen, who is president of Johns Hopkins University, said the scientists who compose his board are "tride of this endless attack, the motive for which we cannot ascertain."

"We all agreed, when the question of the legality of the board was raised," said Dr. Remsen, "that it would be a great relief to all of us if our body should be declared illegal. I put it squarely to the members as to whether we should resign or continue the work. The bull dog came to the surface in all of us then. We decided that if the Secretary of Agriculture wanted us to continue we would do so."

Dr. Remsen said some unknown influence to undermine and discredit the work of his board was being manifested by continued newspaper attacks, articles coming to him every day declaring that the board ought to be wiped out.

"I was accused of being in with various interests," Dr. Remsen continued, "I have become a little more thick-skinned, but there is not a member of the board, but has made great sacrifices to continue this work, merely because Secretary Wilson urged up that it was our duty to do so."

Dr. Remsen said the Referee Board had never passed on the question of benzoate of soda as a food preservative, the only question submitted was whether benzoate of soda "in large doses and in small doses" was harmful to the human system .They found that in small doses it was not.

Dr. Remsen denied that any members of the board had ever tried to influence State courts or State authorities in favor of the use of benzoate of soda.

LARGEST YIELD OF COTTON.

Speculation as to Its Total Value Has Already Begun.

Washington, Aug. 3.—With continued official assurances that the 1910-11 cotton crop of the United States will be the greatest yield in the history of the country, there is speculation as to its total value. Should the staple this year sell at the same price it did in 1910, the value of the crop would be approximately $1,000,603,000, exceeding the record breaking cotton crop value made last year by more than $180,000,000.

Further estimates today from the government's official figure of 89.1 per cent. of a normal for the condition of the growing crop on July 25th, indicate that the crop will be 7,046,500,000 pounds, or 14,741,631 bales, of 478 pounds net weight. This would surpass the record cotton production year of 1904 by more than one million bales.

If the crop this year sells at 11.5 cents a pound the average price for the last five years, its value would be about $20,000,000 below last year's great value record.

FOUND INCREDIBLE TANGLE.

Investigation of Failed True Reformers' Bank in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 3.—The grand jury investigating the frauds that led to the failure of the True Reformers' Bank, an adjunct of the Frand Fountain of the order or True Reformers, a negro fraternal order of widespread connections, has encountered what is described as an incredible tangle of irregular financiering. A State insurance actuary states that the details may never be unraveled.

Wm. R. Griffin, of Washington; A. Humble, of Lynchburg; J. Thomas Newsome, of Newport News, and Floyd Ross, of St. Louis, composing the committee appointed to ferret out the frauds and procure indictment of those guilty, appeared before the jury today to seek the indictment of three well known Virginia negroes, alleging conspiracy to plunder the bank.

SPLENDID PARADE OF THE VETERANS

Closing Features of Annual Reunion, North Carolina Division, U. C. V.

GATHERING A BIG SUCCESS

Old Confederate Soldiers Returning to Their Homes After Pleasant Sojourn in Wilmington—Sponsors and Maids

Marching under battle flags, some of them tattered and torn and scarred with the strife of many a bloody conflict, the North Carolina Division, United Confederate Veterans, which was assembled here for its annual reunion, passed in parade before hundreds of citizens and visitors yesterday morning, keeping step to the stirring music of "Dixie," from brass bands, fife and drum, and then broke ranks, bringing to a close the formal features of the gathering.

Touching and pathetic was the scene as the broken remnant of those brave, those incomparable men, who left their homes in the fairest land in which man has ever been privileged to live and brave a hostile army on a thousand fields of war, marched yesterday, some with heads erect and firm steps, others bowed with the weight of weary years and feet that faltered in their forward progress, but all inspired with a memory that is as sacred as the names of Lee, Jackson, Longstreet and Stuart and those other intrepid leaders of the Confederacy.

Contrasting strangely with this picture out of the pages of the past were the members of the Fort Caswell U. S. Artillery Band and the Wilmington Light Infantry, with their polished instruments and modern arms, clad in their natty kahki uniforms, and apparatus of the Wilmington Fire Department, drawn by splendid specimens of horse flesh, the sunlight flashing on the gleaming surface of the great steamer, but all combining to form an imposing spectacle and one that will not soon be forgotten by those who were so fortunate to see it.

And the veterans, many of them clad in their gray uniforms, and some scarred and maimed from the awful conflict in which they won a name and fame to which the world pays homage, tramped through the streets under a broiling sun, with a glorified light in their eyes, and lived over again for a brief period the stirring times in which they marched forth in splendor at the beginning of the war. At frequent intervals along the line of march some hoary-headed hero would break forth with the shrill rebel yell and the soul-stirring battle cry would be taken up by his comrades all down the gray-clad columns.

Fully a thousand of these immortal men were in the parade yesterday, some of them for the last time possibly, for the "thin gray line" is ever growing thinner and ere another year has rolled around many of them will, with the dauntless "Stonewall" Jackson, have "Crossed over the River and be resting under the shade of the trees." And when that time comes, as Robert G. Ingersoll said, "Words are but barren sounds to express the debt we owe, the love we bear, to all the dead who died for us. We can but stand beside their graves and in the hush and silence feel what speech has never told."

Shortly after 10 o'clock, the parade started, marching in the following formation:

Chief Marshal and aides, mounted police, formed in columns on Front street, right resting at intersection with Chesnut street. Wilmington Light Infantry formed in columns immediately behind marshals and police. General J. S. Carr, of Durham, and staff, State sponsor and maids of honor in automobile.

First Brigade: General P. C. Carlton, of Statesville, and staff, formed in columns, followed by brigade sponsor and maids of honor in automobile and brigade in colums.

Second Brigade: General W. L. London, of Pittsboro, and staff, in colums, followed by brigade sponsor and maids of honor in automobile, and brigade in columns.

Third Brigade: General James I. Metts, of Wilmington, and staff, followed by brigade sponsor and maids of honor in automobile and brigade in columns.

Fourth Brigade: General J. M. Ray, of Asheville, and staff, followed by brigade sponsor and maids of honor and brigade in columns.

The Wilmington Fire Department brought up the rear. Owing to the extreme heat of the day the line of march did not extend to Ninth street, as had been announced. The parade extended from Front to Market street, and up Market to Fifth, countermarching to Front street and breaking ranks. The Fort Caswell band did not arrive in time to march at the head of the parade at the start, but they joined the formation at Market street and headed it from that time back to Front street. This band and the Vineland band furnished the music for the occasion, aided by the Confederate Drum Corps from the L. O'B. Branch Camp at Raleigh. The music was especially good and added much to the success of the parade. The music by the drum corps was a feature that

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg-New York—rain.
At Cincinnati, 7; Philadelphia, 1.
At Chicago, 3; Brooklyn, 5.
At St. Louis-Boston—rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	57	34	.626
New York	57	36	.613
Philadelphia	56	38	.596
Pittsburg	56	38	.596
St. Louis	52	42	.553
Cincinnati	40	53	.426
Brooklyn	35	59	.372
Boston	21	74	.221

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Three home runs in the fourth inning was the feat accomplished today by Brooklyn in defeating Chicago 5 to 3. E. Zimmerman hit to right field the first ball pitched and it rolled under a pile of lumber. Erwin followed by knocking over the right field fence the first ball pitched. Toney relieved Richie here and was somewhat wild. With a man on base Wheat hit to right center for a home run. Knetzer blew up in the sixth.

Chicago .....201 000 000—3 5 0
Brooklyn .....003 010 010—5 9 0

Richie, Toney, Richter and Archer; Knetzer, Schardt and Erwin; time 2:02; umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Cincinnati, Aug 3.—Cincinnati hammered Chalmers all over the lot in the fifth inning today and defeated Philadelphia easily 7 to 1. Smith was effective with men on bases. Almeida injured his leg running to second in the seventh, while Clark's hand was hurt by a foul tip in the eighth. Both men were forced to retire.

Philadelphia ....000 001 000—1 7 2
Cincinnati .....000 060 10x—7 11 0

Burns, Rowan, Chalmers and Moran; Smith, Severoid and Clark; time 2:05; umpires Klem and Brennan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington-Chicago—rain.
At New York, 10; Cleveland, 11.
At Philadelphia-St. Louis—rain.
At Boston, 3; Detroit, 2.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	63	35	.643
Philadelphia	61	34	.642
Boston	52	48	.520
New York	50	47	.515
Chicago	49	47	.510
Cleveland	50	51	.495
Washington	36	61	.371
St. Louis	29	67	.302

Boston, Aug. 3.—It was largely Harry Hooper who won Boston's third victory over the Detroit Tigers today. He was responsible for all the Boston runs and broke up the game in the 12th by sending Yerkes home with a hit ordinarily good for a home run. He also sent Yerkes ahead of him with a home run in the third and made a wonderful fence catch in the first off Crawford's bat. Both Collins and Donovan were strong in pinches.

Boston .....002 000 000 001—3 8 1
Detroit .....000 200 000 000—2 8 0

Collins and Carrigan; Donovan and Stanage; time 2:05; umpires Dineen and Perrine.

New York, August 3.—By a score of 11 to 10 Cleveland won today the second victory in the series with the Highlanders, during the thirteen of the Highlanders were hit or given passes to first. Hemphill walking five times out of six times up.

Cleveland .... ..000 025 211—11 19 4
New York .... ..301 003 021—10 8 2

Mitchell, Falkenberg, Kaler and Smith; Vaughan, Warhop and Blair and Sweeney. Time 2:29. Umpires O'Loughlin and Mullin.

Eastern League.

At Jersey City 2; Toronto 1. (12 innings.)
At Baltimore 8; Buffalo 1.
At Providence 3; Montreal 0.
No other games scheduled.

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville-Augusta, rain.
At Savanna 3; Charleston 1.
At Columbia 3; Albany 5.
At Columbus 8; Macon 4.

Southern League.

At Birmingham 3; Nashville 10.
At Mobile 4; Chattanooga 1.
At Montgomery-Memphis, rain.
At Atlanta-New Orleans, no game scheduled.

Carolina League.

At Greenville-Anderson, rain.
At Greensboro-Spartanburg, rain.

Appalachian League.

At Knoxville 3; Morristown 5.
At Cleveland 5; Johnson City 3.
At Asheville-Bristol, rain.

American Association

At Minneapolis-St. Paul, rain.
At Milwaukee 4; Indianapolis 6.

Virginia League.

At Richmond 1; Roanoke 5.
At Petersburg 6; Danville 4.
At Lynchburg 5; Norfolk 3.

LONG DROUGHT BROKEN.

Welcomed Rains in Stricken Section of Carolinas.

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 3.—Heavy general rains which began early today over this stricken section have broken the long drought. As far east as Raleigh, west to Asheville and to the order lines north and south the precipitation has been generous with every prospect of continuation and farmers are jubilant. In many cities and towns of the section threatened with water shortage, the situation has been relieved by the bountiful rains. With the reservoir and settling basins filled to the brim; pure water flowing through the mains as of old, and a reserve supply ample for all need held in readiness at the new connection at Briar creek, the authorities are happy. The tank train service will be continued for the present to make assurance doubly sure.

Fighting Like Tigers.

In fighting to keep the blood pure the white corpusoles attack disease germs like tigers. But often germs multiply so fast the little fighters are overcome. Then see pimples, boils, eczema, salt-rheum and sores multiply and strength and appetite fail. This condition demands Electric Bitters to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to expel poisons from the blood. "They are the best blood purfier," writes C. T. Budahn, of Tracy, Cal., "I have ever found." They make rich, red blood, strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 50c. at R. R. Bellamy.

TRAP SHOOT TOURNAMENT ON

First Day's Results Show Some Good Scores—Mr. George Lyon High Man In Regular Event—The Scores.

At the grounds of the Wilmington Gun Club, 17th and Castle streets, the first registered trap-shooting tournament ever conducted in this city began yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, with 27 men shooting, including some of the best known professional shots in the country.

Mr. Geo. L. Lyon, of Durham, a professional, was high man for the first day with a score of 140 out of a possible 150 in the regular event. Mr. Walter Huff, another professional, and Mr. Chas. Nuchols tied for second place with scores of 136 out of a possible 150.

The 50-bird handicap shoot for the handsome loving cup given by Mr. A. O. Schuster, of Front street, resulted in a tie between Messrs. Wm. Walls and Dick Gerald, and in the 25-bird shoot off Mr. Gerald won 23 to 22. In this event Messrs. Huff and Lyon made scores of 49 and 47, repectively, but being professionals they were not eligible for the trophy.

Others making good scores yesterday were Dr. J. H. Dreher, Messrs. J. T. Anthony, J. W. Terry, E. C. Bates and W. W. Simmons.

This morning at 9 o'clock the second and final day's shoot will be started. In addition to the regular event in the morning there will be a handicap shoot when the first event is finished, for the Tidewater Power Company trophy.

The results in the two events yesterday are as follows:

Regular 150-Bird Event.

Name:	Shot At.	Broke.
Lyon, Geo. L. *	150	140
Ruff, Walter *	150	136
Nuchols, Chas	150	136
Anthony, J. T.	150	135
Terry, J. W	150	134
Goodrich, C. E. *	150	134
Walls, Wm	150	133
Dreher, J. H.	150	132
Penny, G. W	150	131
Simmons, W. W	150	131
Taylor, J. E.	150	127
Bates, C. C	150	125
Andrews, I	150	123
Boylan, G. S.	150	121
Crowley, S. R.	150	119
Bennett, J. N.	150	118
Knight, Chas. *	150	118
Robbins, W. L. *	150	118
Crichton, R. H.	150	116
Grant, L. C.	150	116
Darby, F. R	150	114
Townsend, L. B.	150	110
Gerald, Dick	75	67
Longfellow	75	34
Boushee	45	29
Macknly	45	37
Watson, Dr	45	36

* Names followed by star are those of professionals.

Fifty-Bird Handicap, for Cup.

Name:	Handicap.	Broke.
Huff, Walter *	21 yards	49
Lyon, Geo. L. *	21 yards	47
Walls, Wm	19 yards	45
Gerald, Dick	19 yards	45
Dreher, J. H.	19 yards	44
Nuchols, C.	19 yards	43
Bates, C. C.	19 yards	42
Terry, W. J.	19 yards	42
Simmons, W. W.	18 yards	42
Crowley, S. R.	17 yards	40
Goodrich, C. E. *	19 yards	39
Boylan, G. S.	17 yards	38
Penney, G. W.	18 yards	36
Taylor, J. E.	17 yards	35
Robbins, W. L. *	16 yards	35
Crichton, R. H.	17 yards	34
Knight, C. *	18 yards	34

* Names marked with star are those of professionals.

Gerald won on shoot-off—23 to 22.

BASEBALL SCORE CARDS.

Will be Furnished at League Park for Remainder of Season.

Patrons of the National sport in this city who visit the ball park next Saturday will be delighted at a new treat provided for them through the courtesy of the Baseball Publishing Company, of Boston, Mass.

It is well known that this concern is the producer of the Bull Durham Baseball Guide and are the agents for the Bull Durham Tobacco Company in the distribution of the awards made to ball players who pound the home runs or who are fortunate enough to swat the Bull in any part of his anatomy. The local representatives of the concern here has received a consignment of neat score cards, sufficient to supply all the patrons of the game for the remainder of the season. The card is on substantial card board and the space occupied chiefly with scoring tables. The cards are for free distribution and every effort will be made to supply each patron, however, in case any should be overlooked, the management wish to ask that request for one be made to the official scorer or any of the cold drink dispensers. As it will be difficult to announce the line-ups prior to the beginning of the game, the scorer will send a copy through the stands so that those wishing to may transfer it to their score card before the games commence. Don't forget to ask for a card for each game.

PHILADELPHIA CLIMBING

Within Single Point of Tie With League Leaders.

New York, August 3.—The defeat of Detroit by Boston in a 12-inning contest today brought the American League leaders down within a single point of a tiewith Philadelphia for the leadership. The Athletics were idle because of rain, making the standing of the two pennant racers as follows:

Detroit won 63; lost 35, percentage .634.

Philadelphia won 61; lost 34, percentage .642.

Chicago's loss of a game to Brooklyn also brought the Cubs down a peg from their pennant leadership in the National League to a percentage of .626.

PACTS ARE SIGNED FOR WORLD PEACE

(Continued from Page 1.)

A copy of teh treaty as signed will be forwarded immediately to Washington, in exchange for the copy signed at the American capital this afternoon, by Philander C. Knox, the American secretary of State.

An official note issued at the Foreign Office points out that the treaty issues a means of regulating pacifically all differences which would be impossible of settlement through the channels of diplomacy, and adds:

The character of the treaty is clearly defined in the preamble thus:

"The French Republic and the United States of America, being equally desirous of perpetuating firm and inviolable the constant peace which, happily has existed between the two nations since the first day of American independence and which was rendered more sure by close relations of friendship and commerce affirming that no important questions remain in limitation between them, and resolved to prevent any future difference from being an occasion for hostilities of an interruption of these good relations, and so forth."

TY COBB A NATIVE

Story from Asheville That Detroiter Was Born in Mountains.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., August 3.—It will be a matter of pleasure and pride to all North Carolina baseball fans to know that the greatest baseball player in the world is a native North Carolinian. There appears to be no manner of doubt but that Tyrus B. Cobo, of the Detroit Americans, is not only a native North Carolinian, but a western Carolinian, a man of the mountains where baseball players are born as well as made. Here, too, as with the cases of most of our great men, Tyrus left the State to achieve greatness, though not before he had learned to play ball.

W. N. Cooper, of the American Lumber Company, is authority for the statement that Ty Cobb was born and bred in Cherokee county and his information came from an authentic scurce. Mr. Cooper has know John Cobb, who he thinks must be Tyrus Cobb's father, for a number of years but it was only a short time ago that he learned that Ty Cobb belonged to this family. The Cobbs live in Notia township, at Cobb's postoffice, only a few miles from Murphy, Mr. Cooper's former home.

A little over a year ago Ty Cobb visited his relatives in Cherokee and stopped at the Dickey House, at Murphy one night. Mrs. Dickey informed Mr. Cooper of the fact that Ty Cobb is a member of the Cherokee family. Mrs. Dickey, who is well known all over the State as the proprietress of the Dickey House, used to live near the Cobbs in Notia township.

It seems that Ty attended school at Bellevue, a well established school in Cherokee county and that there he learned to play baseball; that his genius was quickly recognized and he was picked up by some minor league in Georgia, whence he made his meteoric rise.

It is generally understood that he came from Georgia where it is true his fame began and probably no one ever before took the trouble to inquire where he was born.

TELLS MORE ABOUT STEEL

Topping Says No Agreement to Maintain High Prices Existed.

New York, August 3.—John A. Topping, chairman of the board of directors of the Republic Iron & Steel Company, which recently cut prices on steel products, told the House Committee on Inquiry into the affairs of the United States Steel Corporation today that no agreement to maintain prices existed between the Steel Corporation and independent Companies.

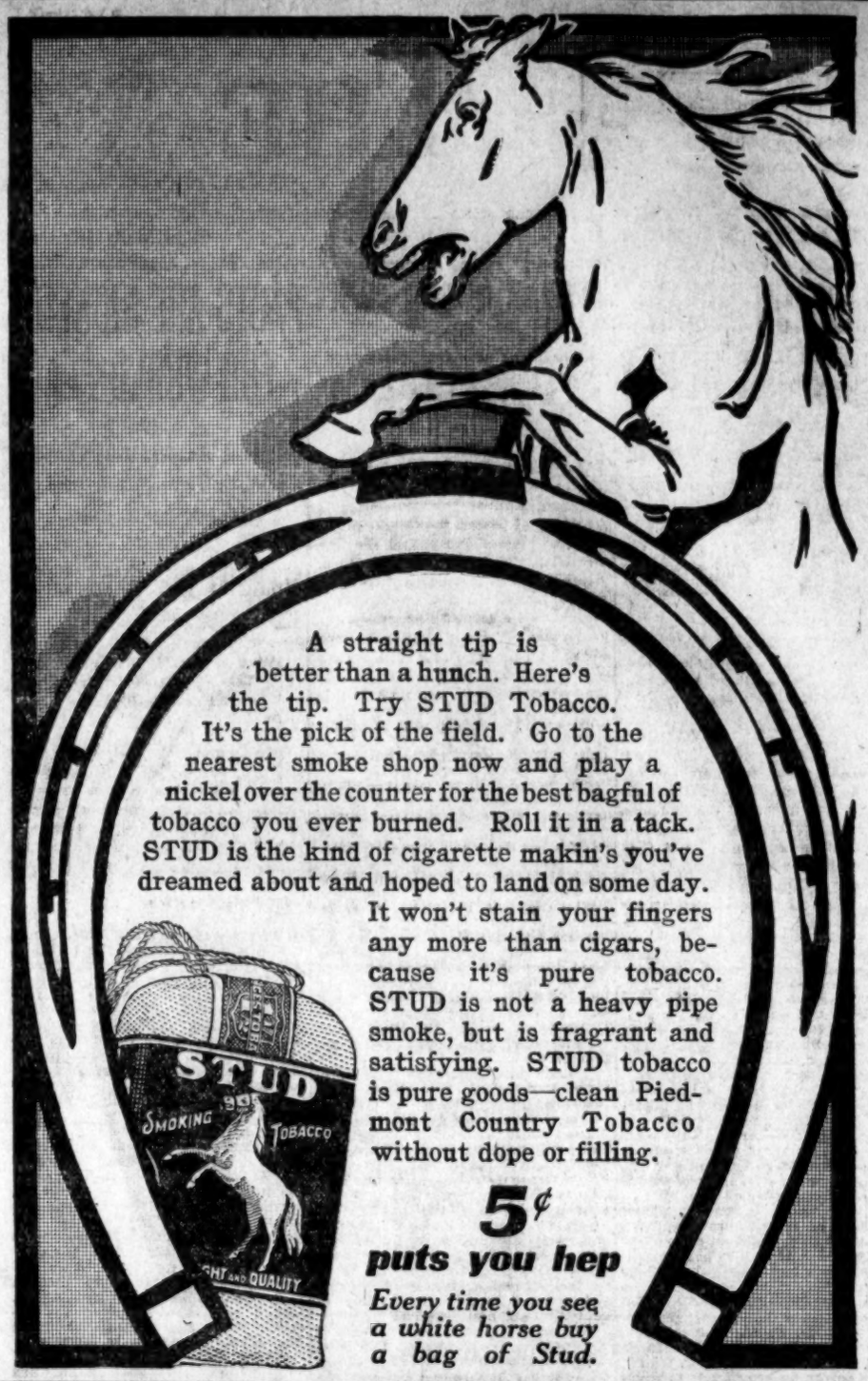
Mr. Topping was led into a discussion of the so-called "Gary dinners" where steel men assemble to discuss the trade, and his attention called to the fact that at a Gary dinner just after the Republic company cut prices last May he had not been present. Mr. Toppin said he did not know whether he had been slighted because the Republic company had slashed the price.

Before going into the steel price question Mr. Topping, who formerly was a member of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company syndicate, told the committee that at the time of the transfer of the Tennessee Company to the United States Steel Corporation he had wanted to sell his stock but did not do so out of friendship for Grant B. Schley.

In response to questions by Representative Bartlett, of Georgia, regarding steel price agreements, Mr. Topping said he had not recognized any "Golden Rule" of prices such as have been talked about since Chairman Gray of the United States Steel Corporation, inaugurated his banquets.

Charles M. Schley, president of the Bethel Steel Company and former president of the United States Steel Corporation has been summoned to testify tomorrow.

Late today the committee held an executive session with Richard V. Lindabury, counsel for the United States Steel Corporation, regarding subpoenas duces tecum, which have been issued for Richard Trimble, secretary of the Steel Corporation, to produce documents and cost sheets relating to the corporation's affairs. The corporation regards the sheets as secret information, which, if made public would prove of advantage to competitors. It has agreed to submit an epitome of cost items taken from the cost sheets. If these do not prove to be what the committee desires a demand for the cost sheets will be made and this may throw the matter into the courts.



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RALEIGH'S WATER SUPPLY

Famine Is Threatened—Marriage of Interest—Asheville Man's Pardon—Teachers' Certificates. Charter Granted.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 3.—There was much interest here in the marriage last evening of Dr. C. O. Abernathy, prominent young practicing physician of this city, and Miss Mary Carter Ray, the ceremony being at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Ray. Rev. T. W. O'Kelly, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a large company of relatives and friends.

The special decorations for the Ray home were in exquisite taste, the halls and the double parlors being adorned with palms, bamboo, ferns and smilax. Miss Ruth Ray was maid of honor and the bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Burton Ray. Dr. Abernathy was attended by his brother, Dr. Eric A. Abernathy, of Chapel Hill, as best man. Dr. and Mrs. Abernathy are now on a bridal tour in Western Carolina.

Although Attorney H. B. Carter, of Asheville, denied that he was here in the interest of Wiley Black, it is learned that he did urge upon Governor Kitchin that he take no action as to the revocation of Black's conditional pardon on account of recent convictions that seem to violate the terms of his conditional pardon from his original rad sentence in Buncombe county until the appeals that have been taken by Black are determined. Black's most recent and sensational conviction was for conducting the Asheville Hotel for immoral purposes. The Governor is waiting for the official records of the convictions before he takes action as to any revocation of the pardon.

It is announced from the State department of education that the State Board of Examiners has decided to have a special examination of applicants for high school teachers' certificates in the offices of the department here August 24th and 25th, the applicants to come to Raleigh from every part of the State; also it is stated that the board will hereafter have only the annual examinations in July at the county seats. The special examination just ordered is on account of numbers of vacancies in high school faculties and the lack of certified teachers to take the positions.

There was a joint session of the directors of Wake Water Co., and the Raleigh aldermen today to consider the Capital City's impending water famine. Mr. White, expert engineer of Charlotte, in charge of the heroic efforts there to extend the water resources of the Queen City and give permanent relief to the water famine conditions there, participated in the conference and declared that the water company seemed to be doing all that can be done to get immediate relief. He made recommendations as to permanent extensions that were not made public. In the event there is not rain within the next day or two to relieve the situation the water company will set about the task of hauling water by rail in tank cars from elsewhere. It is expected that the hauling will be from Eno river, where Durham gets her supply as it is thought that this water will be better adapted to the Raleigh system of filtration than the Neuse river water, which would be nearer. Raleigh is using around 1,250,000 gallons per day and the intake here has dwindled to 800,000 gallons. The reservoir is 55 inches below normal and lost one inch last night, whereas it should have gained materially while the use of water was largely suspended.

A charter was issued for the C. E. Bell Land Co., Charlotte, capital $7,000, by Jessie B. McDonald, C. B. Bell, C. M. Bell and others for the development of the Bell homestead, near Charlotte.

BUNCOMBE ROADS

Trades Bodies Moving for $50,000 Bond Issue—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 3.—The directors of the Board of Trade, the Retail Merchants' Association and the Good Roads Association have decided to hold a mass meeting at the county Court House next Monday night for the purpose of discussing the advisability of asking the county commissioners to borrow $50,000 for improving the roads of Buncombe county. At the recent meetings held at Black Mountain and Democrat in the interest of the Central Highway, this plan was advocated by several speakers.

The joint committee on arrangements have made a programme for the meeting. The principal speakers will be Judge J. C. Pritchard and Hon. Locke Craig. There will also be several short talks.

Arthur S. Watts, of the United States Bureau of Mines, who is now in Asheville, has been sent out by the government to investigate matters pertaining to the conservation of mineral resources of the Southern Appalachians. Mr. Watts has already spent several weeks in the extreme western portion of the State and next week he will go to Yancey and Mitchell counties to continue his work. Later he will go to Georgia and South Carolina.

Mr. Watts has been following a great Kaolin lead beginning in Macon county. From that section the lead extends toward Asheville and is from 15 to 30 miles in width but disappears in some sections. Following the same general direction it appears again in Yancey and Mitchell counties, where mines are being worked.

He visited several kaolin mines in the western part of the State and found some of the finest kaolin in America, which offers great opportunities to miners. Several mines have been shut down and one purpose of his investigation is to learn the reason for closing and possibly to give some method by which the work can be carried on economically. In some places he found great waste of kaolin where the mines were being worked for mica alone.

A bulletin will be issued later covering the observations made by Mr. Watts and he is collecting the names of those who are interested in this industry for the purpose of assisting them.

NEWS AT WHITEVILLE

Dr. Clark on A Visit—Death Yesterday—Drainage—Other News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, August 3.—Dr. Byron Clark, of Salisbury, and a party of gentlemen from that city, are now at Wannanish, the guests of the Messrs. Council, and will spend their vacation on the Lake-shore. Dr. Clark is a brother of Hon. O. L. Clark, of Clarkton. A number of our citizens are paying their respects to these distinguished and thrice welcome visitors.

Mr. D. M. Harrelson, of Tabor, passed through Whiteville yesterday, en route to Wilmington. He says that Tabor now has 13 brick store buildings and no place in this section is improving faster. Last Spring he sold Klondyke strawberries at $13 per crate.

It is hoped that those landowners who are protesting against the draining of White Marsh and its tributaries will be pacified and this important work will proceed. Parties are now trying to satisfy them as to the value of this work.

The main hitch seems to be that the canal will start at the Coast Line Railway, and it is argued that to properly drain the marsh the mouth of the canal must be at the Waccamaw river. But the owners of the timber below the railroad will not consent to the drainage scheme, as they argue it will injure their crops of timber. But forestry experts say this will not be the case. A party who is posted says that enough poles can be cut on the marsh to pay the entire cost of drainage and clearing twice over, and which cannot now be gotten out of the swamp. By cutting the canal these poles can be rafted to the railroad. There is much other valuable timber that can be gotten at were the marsh drained. Hon. C. L. Clark, of Clarkton, is the moving spirit in this drainage scheme, but he is now at Jackson Springs. It is hoped that he will soon return and satisfy these protesters and explain to them the law.

Editor Gantt says that while in Wilmington last Sunday he saw on aboard a sloop in the river the largest watermelon on record. It was grown by W. A. Moore, of Brunswick county, and the melon weighed exactly 80 pounds. Mr. Moore stated to him that for some time past he has been selling from $130 to $150 worth of melons a day in the Wilmington market.

A gentleman in the city yesterday from Fair Bluff says that in spite of the short tobacco crop, it now seems that his town will sell nearly as much of the weed as last year. Tobacco is being bought there from remote sections, that have heretofore marketed at other places. Fair Bluff has developed into the best tobacco market in the Eastern Carolinas, and the town is filled with buyers.

Lee Jackson, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Formyduval, of Whiteville, died this morning, after a long illness of typhoid fever and pneumonia. He was about 11 years old and a most amiable little fellow, beloved by all. Kind friends did all possible to save his life, but without avail. The interment will take place tomorrow in the Whiteville cemetery. The bereaved family has the sympathy of all.

TWO PITIFUL CASES.

Salvation Army Work in Asheville—Furniture Factory Site.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 3.—Two pitiful cases which have recently come to the notice of the Salvation Army here serve to illustrate the carelessness and danger of allowing young girls to go to any town or city, when their parents have not already made arrangements for them to go into a home. Within the past few days the management of the Salvation Army has taken two girls from houses of ill fame.

One of these girls, aged only 15 years, came here from South Carolina with an older sister. The sister went on to Waynesville to get work and told the younger girl to stay here and try to get work. The girl tells that she could find nothing to do and sat down in front of a store and was crying when a woman came along and learning of her plight, told her that she would give her work. She went with the woman and a few days later was sent to a house of ill fame where she stayed five weeks. She stated that she was charged $10 a week for board. A short time ago the girl's mother came here to look for her and the girl was finally located by some of the Salvation Army workers and was taken from the house where it was claimed that she owed $5 for board. She was placed in her mother's care.

The other girl, too, came from South Carolina and is about 16 years of age. She had been in a house of ill fame for six weeks and came of her own accord to the headquarters of the Army. She came here on the invitation of a "friend" who wrote that she was married and wished the girl to come and visit her. This girl was an orphan but had relatives near the Tennessee line and she was sent to them by the Salvation Army.

Vice President Spencer, of the Southern Railway, is expected to arrive here today to confer with the Board of Trade and the city authorities with reference to the purchase by the city from the Southern of about five acres of land for a site for a furniture factory to be erected by F. S. Kennett, of this city. At a recent joint meeting of the Board of Trade and the Board of Aldermen, it was decided to donate the land to Mr. Kennett provided he would erect the factory and run it for a term of years.

Fredericksburg, Va., Aug. 3.—Mrs. Margaret Swann Bradley, wife of W. E. Bradley, president of the city council, died tonight at the age of 59. She is survived by her husband, three sons of Baltimore, and one daughter, of this city.

Thirty Years Together

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MR. JOHN F. KORNEGAY DEAD.

Prominent Duplin Farmer Succumbs to Paralysis—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, N. C., Aug. 3.—Mr. Jno. F. Kornegay, a highly respected and successful farmer of Duplin county, living about six miles from here, went to his field in the early afternoon on Tuesday, and having failed to return at night, search was made for him for several hours, and about midnight he was found on the ground paralyzed and in an unconscious condition. He was immediately taken to his home where he continued to grow worse until his death came yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. Mr. Kornegay was an estimable man, a son of the venerable Daniel Kornegay, deceased, late of Duplin county, and a brother of Mr. Peter H. Kornegay, of Kenansville. He leaves no children, and was preceded to the grave by his wife who died several years ago. His death was a sad shock to the community and his sorrowing relatives have the tenderest sympathy of a large circle of friends throughout Wayne and Duplin counties.

Mr. James Oliver Loftin, formerly of Duplin county, near Mount Olive, who has for more than two years been steward at the A. & M. College at Raleigh, removed with his excellent family yesterday to this city, where they now occupy his dwelling, formerly occupied by Prof. C. R. Spencer, to the delight of their many friends here where Mr. Loftin and his pleasant wife have always been held in the highest esteem by all.

Notwithstanding the long and continued drought in this section, the watermelon crop is splendid, and they are now being shipped from here by the car load while some of the finest and most luscious are being offered for sale on the streets in large quantities.

A large number from this section went to Wilmington this week to attend the Confederate Veterans Encampment and enjoy the delightful sea breezes at the beach.

JEWELERS ELECT OFFICERS.

Sixth Annual Convention in Progress at Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 3.—The National Retail Jewelers' Association in its sixth annual session now in convention here, today elected officers as follows:

President, Steele F. Roberts, Pittsburg; first vice president, T. L. Combs, Omaha; second vice president, Geo. H. Tucker, Chicago; secretary, Claude D. Wheeler, Columbia, Mo.; treasurer, J. R. Stebbins, Ashtabula, Ohio; executive committee, W. A. Anderson, Neenah, Wis., and Charles T. Evans, Utica, N. Y.

The convention decided to meet next year in Kansas City.

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No. 80, 13:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.)	No. 81, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:00 A. M.
No. 84, 15:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 85, 16:50 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 48,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, *8:05 P. M.
No. 58, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, *1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 13:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 43, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

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To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
IN EFFECT JUNE 3RD, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:54 A. M.
and every	7:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every	9:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50am.	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N. S. R. R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:35pm	8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	5:06 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:50 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Wnshington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 39, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman service between Wilmington and Atlanta, leaving Wilmington No. 39, 3:40 P. M.; arriving Atlanta No. 41, 6:15 A. M.; No. 38; leaving Atlanta, 9:55 P. M.; arriving Wilmington, No. 40, 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman Service on trains 44 and 45, between Wilmington and Charlotte. Car open at Union depot for passengers, at 10 o'clock P. M.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	6:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	2:30 a m

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Friday, August 4, 1911.

Cheer up. Next month has an "R" in it!

Charlotte has exploded the old idea that there is nothing in a water haul.

When a self-made man gets married he is bound to see his finish at the hands of somebody else.

North Carolina women don't practice law. They lay the law down and others have to do the practice.

A Chicago preacher declares his belief in a personal devil. He must have seen a good many of him in Chicago.

Dr. Wiley thinks the foam line in a glass of beer comes too low. He thinks honesty should be manifested both in quantity and quality.

Be there a man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said,
This is the town that gives me bread,
I'll never knock, but boost instead.

Gaul was composed of three parts but that's nothing to brag about. The Standard Oil Company has the gall to be composed of thirty-three parts.

The water famine in Charlotte didn't last as long as it took to tell. No one need stay away from Charlotte for fear they can't get anything to drink.

Some fellow claims to have invented a powder that will make a woman's foot considerably smaller. The ladies will try it just to see if they can't catch him at some sort of trick.

Everything seems to be flattering to Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia. He thinks he is needed in Georgia, and the tie vote in the Senate shows that he is badly needed in Washington.

Why should President Taft want Congress to wait for the report of his Tariff Board? The Tariff Board is ready to report right now that there is plenty of time in the future to consider tariff reduction.

Woodrow Wilson made a good impression at first, but since he has been talking like he thinks a President ought to be the President of the people, he is acquiring considerable opposition from the opposite interests.

The New York Tribune announces that Col. John Jacob Astor is to wed Miss Madeline Talmage Force. Since she is pretty and only 19, it is not difficult to observe that the Colonel had to surrender to a superior Force.

Don't live in the past," advises Dorothy Dix. Why should anybody want to live in the past and miss seeing them as they look and dress now. The present is a great deal nicer than the past. The present is seeing one beautiful thing right after another.

The Atlanta Journal says the politicians are opposed to the commission form of municipal government. Any other position by politicians would be more than astonishing. Commission government is supposed to eliminate politicians and that is the main reason people take to it.

The educational number of the Raleigh News and Observer on Sunday last was splendid in point of newspaper making, but it was more so in interest and value. Our esteemed contemporary is the acknowledged champion of education in North Carolina and its frequent editions devoted to that great cause constitute a powerful factor in the rapidly developing educational system of North Carolina. It would be pardonable in any newspaper to envy the great influence which the News and Observer wields so effectively in making education the chiefest cause in the development of the State.

BREAKING THE SOLID SOUTH.

Mr. Jay White, of Jackson, Miss., has been to Washington and judging from his talk to the Washington Post he is a Republican. The Post quotes him as saying:

"There will be a strong Republican party in the South some day. The party is growing numerically every year and the line of demarkation that divides the solid South of Democracy from the stronghold of Republicanism in the North is gradually but surely moving lower. Take Tennessee, for instance. The last election demonstrated that State is switching around to the Republicans. The Republicans elected their candidate for governor. North Carolina, if it polled its full Republican vote in every district, would come very near to electing some of the members of Congress. If the Republicans in Congress would give Louisiana a chance, that State would almost join the Republican column, and it is prophesied even now that it may give a Republican majority in the next election. I venture to say that if it were not for the negro question there would be a great many more Republican votes cast in every election in the South than there are today. While the Republican party is extending its domain southward, likewise there is every indication some of the strongholds of the Republicans in New England are leaning toward permanent Democracy."

What the Mississippi Republican says is particularly interesting because he expressed himself in a conservative way concerning what all of us can observe if we will only make a study of conditions in the various States. If we would save some of the Southern States from a possible if not sure slump into the Republican column, we will have to follow the lines of conservatism, for which the South is noted. Radicalism in the face of changed conditions would cause such an upheaval in public sentiment as to mean a revolution in politics. The Democratic party has changed considerably, and the more it cuts loose from the old moorings the easier it is to alienate those who cling to the old traditions. When men begin to look upon the Democratic party today as not the Democratic party of old, there will be a re-alignment along political lines, and so far as that is concerned, it must be admitted that the changes already in progress are more pronounced than we would like to see. It is for Southern Democrats in Congress to take a position that will not bring about a stampede. The situation depends upon statesmanship and not politics.

Let us look the facts square in the face. Conditions in the South have changed and sound Democracy and statesmanship can meet those conditions. There is a disposition on the part of some either not to recognize or to ignore them. The South has different interests at stake from those it had a quarter of a century ago. We must have some regard for all these interests in common or else we are coming to hard political lines. In a recent able editorial The Manufacturers' Record called attention to some of the aspects in Southern politics today, and gave timely warning in view of some of the consequences that may follow upon the acts of the South's representatives at Washington. Concerning the Record's views the Washington Post, independent (but more Republican), says in an editorial on the "South's Influence in Congress":

"The attitude of the delegations from the cotton States on the tariff question is challenged by the Manufacturers' Record, which has superior facilities for sounding the business sentiment of that section. According to the Record the South has grown away from its politicians, and they no longer respond to the spirit of the times. The South has changed from a wholly agricultural community to one whose factories have a productive capacity greater than the combined output of the farms and mines, but some of the politicians have not changed with it. They cling to the South of tradition, and while they are essentially honest, the attitude of some of them in tariff legislation and discussion gives evidence that they must arouse themselves and learn if they would be of value to their section. This severe arraignment of the statesmen of the South by a usually well-informed and conservative Southern publication is impressive, but really it is not altogether deserved. The work of the extra session in the House, if fairly indicative of the statesmanlike qualities of these men, does not show that they are proceeding regardless of the interests of their section. Search the legislative record in vain for a single instance where the South has not been excepted from the ruinous workings of cut tariff rates. Scan the farmers' free list bill, if you will, for one among the hundred articles of manufacture affected that is made to any extent in the South. Just how the Southerners hypnotized their party colleagues from the North into voting for that monumental piece of sectional discrimination has never been explained. The wool revision hits Texas growers; but can't the South make a small sacrifice, seeing that the blow falls elsewhere with hundredfold force? Now comes the cotton schedule, which on its face has the aspect of a square deal at last. But really how much does the coarse cotton goods business of the South suffer in comparison with the handicap the bill puts on the North? Isn't it worth while to hand New England a lemon of such acidity, even though it does do some hurt to Northern capital doing business in the South? And doubtless the remaining schedules will be taken care of with the same religious fidelity to detail that has marked the policy of revision up to date. The Record, we apprehend, has taken its cue from the public utterances of the men it pillories, whereas, a truer appreciation of their services might have been gained by a study of their work in the privacy of the committee on Ways and Means and the caucus room."

There is a great deal in what is said by both the Manufacturers' Record and the Washington Post, but somehow we have sufficient confidence in Southern statesmanship to believe that it will meet the situation. At the last session of Congress, North Carolina's Senators and Representatives knew their lines, and yet we see a disposition to call them down. We hope there is not any great amount of sentiment of that kind, else something exceedingly interesting along political lines will occur in the next few years.

THE AMMUNITION OF BOOSTERISM.

Numerous towns are manifesting a desire for progress and development. The first thing they should do to show that they are in earnest is to support their newspapers. A town without a vigorous, well supported newspaper to represent its progress and proclaim its advantages is in a hard row of stumps. Let North Carolina towns get behind their newspapers and then boost.

A booster may have good lungs and a great gift of gab, but his voice doesn't reach very far. Most of his audience is made up of home people, and what he says goes in one ear and out at the other. A newspaper addresses thousands, and its spell is down in black and white. It is in shape to be mailed away from home, and if the facts are forgotten the paper can be referred to as a perpetual reminder.

People who try to boost a town that has no healthy newspaper may as well "saw wood and say nothing." When they are not backing up their paper it is a sign that they are not so much in earnest as they think they are. Talk's cheap and it's good in it's way, but "chin music" does not attract a very large audience. Talk is the firecracker of boosterism, or, at best, it represents the musketry in the battle of the boosters. The newspaper is the booster's artillery, for it can fire broadsides when a town's earnest men are behind the gun. There is no ammunition like printer's ink and boosters are poorly equipped if they do not invest in a good supply of it.

A newspaper boosts the boosters and if there is any good in a town look for it in its newspapers. An editor should be well fed if you want him to feel his oats and get on a high horse when he writes about his town. If an editor has to waste his time trying to see the bill collector first he has no showing as a booster. No editor can yell for a town that falls down on him. An etditor who booms his town while his town is not booming him, feels like a fellow singing a solo at his own funeral.

Boosters ought to learn how to use the press. That is a big part of the game. If citizens interested in their town will use their newspaper properly they will get big results. Some time ago the Manufacturers' Record showed how the people of a town could get widespread publicity for their locality. That able and alert publication, which is the big gun of Southern publicity, suggested that the business men of a town could effectively use their papers for publicity by mailing copies all over the country. It is easy enough to get addresses out of newspapers and magazines if one will take the trouble, and when the local paper contains valuable information that will attract attention they can spread it by mailing the home paper to their friends and to strangers, North, South, East and West.

When an article showing a town's advantages and progress appears in a newspaper, it ought to be widely distributed. However, the newspaper publisher should not be made to bear the burden. That is done by patriots who will mail papers abroad if the publisher will furnish the papers without charge. The publisher is thus made to bear the burden for the benefit of the whole community. Pay publishers for their papers, for it costs them money to print them. Some men have a way of foraging on a publisher's assets by getting something for nothing, when they "drop in" and get a paper or two without paying for them.

Don't run the hog over the editor, but give him a square deal. He is a valuable asset that doesn't come very high, but no man has a right to nickle it out of a newspaper publisher just because he is pleasant when he is being played to the tune of five cents. Pay for his paper and mail it to the four corners of the earth like a genuine sport. The editor knows who's chinchy and nervy.

TO ATTRACT HOMESEEKERS

The United States Land and Irrigation Exposition to be held in Chicago this Fall will afford a splendid opportunity to get substantial publicity for the agricultural resources of the South Atlantic States. In Georgia there is a strong movement in behalf of a plan to exhibit the products of the various sections of the State. The plan is to make a fine display and at the same time distribute printed information about Georgia and its advantages and possibilities.

The plan is to raise $10,000 for getting up the exhibit and the Atlanta Journal states that each city in the State is asked to contribute according to its population. Communities of 75,000 population or more are requested to subscribe $400 ,cities of 50,000 inhabitants $350, and so on down the list. Waycross, always enterprising, is commended by the Journal because the Chamber of Commerce of that thriving young city unhesitatingly subscribed its pro rata share of $250. It is urged that in this way the funds needed can be raised without burdening any town in the State. The Journal says:

"In this direction, the Chicago Exposition affords a rare opportunity. It will be the most important enterprise of its kind in American history and will be attended by prospective investors from every part of the Union, but especially from the Northwest. Many Southern States have already made definite arrangements for their exhibits. Georgia cannot afford to lag behind this procession. No commonwealth of the entire country has a greater richness or variety of products to display. Is she will but bring them to the Nation's attention they will speak for themselves and produce results."

We do not know whether North Carolina will have an exhibit or not, but Chicago would be a mighty good place to show the resources of the matcheless Tarheel State. It is from the Northwest that tnousands of Americans are going to Canada, and if they knew of the greater advantages in this portion of the South, the tide would be turned this way. They are the most desirable homeseekers open tc attraction, and North Carolina ought to have its share of them.

There is also to be a similar exposition in New York this Fall. Some of our North Carolina railroads will have exhibits at the New York exposition and it would be a splendid idea to have exhibits both there and at Chicago.

Senator Bailey refuses to be resigned to the Democratic programme at Wsahington.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The thin gray line has captured Wilmington, which, however, capitulated with the glad honors of peace.—Charlotte Observer.

Charlotte, Glen Echo, and Baltimore are having a water famine. The rivalry of some of our smaller cities is getting positively reckless.—Washington Post.

The "Rebel Yell" is sounding around Wilmington. Here's wishing the remnant of the boys who wore the gray a glorious time at their reunion. —Greenville Reflector.

The mystery of the disappearance of Dorothy Arnold from her home in New York last December seems to be no nearer solution now than it was a month after the occurrence. The public generally had almost forgotten about the young woman—showing the atomic value of a human life—when the news was published that her parents had sailed for Italy on information that gave them the bare hope of finding her.—Savannah News.

The comnig campaign in Canada will be exciting and bitterly contested, and false issues will be raised. The Liberal platform will be for larger markets and to sustain Laurier. The Conservative cry will be "no annexation and loyalty to the motherland!" This cry is obviously insincere, as there is no question of annexation involved. Elections are, however, often won by a phrase, and this phrase, it is intimated, will be backed up by a campaign fund from the manufacturing interests in the United States which are opposed to reciprocity or to any movement in the direction of free trade.—Baltimore Sun.

Senator Overman had much to do with the passing of the farmers' free list bill yesterday. It was his voice and influence that brought about unanimity of action on the part of the Democrats. In the Democratic caucus he introduced a resolution to the effect that all Democrats should vote in favor of the bill, as it came from the House and against the Bailey amendment. Then in the event the bill failed to pass and a reconsideration was had to vote for the Kern amendment and to vote down all other amendments. This plan was followed to the letter and the bill triumphed.—Raleigh Times.

If Senator Smith had been in his seat in the Eenate the farmers' free list bill would have passed just as it came from the House, just as the Democrats wanted it. The vote on the bill was 39 to 39, a tie, and hence was defeated. The fact that it was amended and then passed doesn't excuse Senator Smith for his failure to be at his post of duty. The bill is an important one, especially important to the South, since it puts bagging and ties on the free list. It is true that these things are in the bill—the compromise bill—that was finally passed, but the bill is no longer a purely Democratic measure. The insurgent Republicans can claim part of the credit for it, since it was amended in accordance with their wishes. — Savannah News.

MORE ON CITY CONDITIONS.

Mr. Crownstream Makes Reply to "A. V. B's." Article Yesterday.

Mr. Editor:—It seems that A. V. B. has misanderstood a letter which I wrote and which was printed in the Star yesterday. I am not interested in tigers, lions or any other kind of wild animals, but on the other hand, I raise a few chickens, hogs, peas, potatoes and such like. I look up with more respect to a person who performs manual labor (let it be washing, sewing or any other kind of work) than I do to an idler, and I have observed in many places where the grown and half grown daughters will entertain company or read the papers while their tired mothers attend to house work.

The Wilmington Morning Star is mailed every morning, not alone all over the United States, but also to Europe and all other parts of the world (call at the Star office and look at their mailing list). I don't think it is necessary to let the whole world know that we are not as good as we ought to be. If you intend to move to a strange place, especially if you have capital to invest, you surely would investigate the conditions at that place, and most of your investigations would be by reading local newspapers. Now, if you gained the impression that the place was mostly populated with bad people, would you move there? I think not. The same applies to people who want to move to Wilmington.

We people of Wilmington ought to improve our city and try to get as many people here as possible, but we cannot improve people's characters by publishing their wrongdoings. A better way would be to speak personally to them. If we could convince only one person and induce him to change for the better, we would have accomplished more than by filling the newspapers with ours and other people's shortcomings. A few kind and loving words spoken rightly might have kept your school mate on the straight and narrow path. I don't think you understand what the word "cowardly" means in the letter which was printed yesterday. I wrote in a general way and I did not have any particular parties in mind, as I do not desire to hurt anyone's feelings nor to make anyone's private lives public, but, of course, those whom the coat fits may wear it.

I admire the young lady for standing up for what she thinks is right, although I don't agree with her. She has as much right to her own opinions as anyone else, but I think that a lady of 16 ought not to write of such subjects as she wrote on, because she certainly don't know anything about it except hearsay.

WM. CROWNSTREAM.

BIG STRIKE IN LONDON.

Dock and River Laborers Decided on Strike Yesterday.

London, Aug. 2.—A general strike throughout the port of London, was officially declared tonight at a mass meeting of dock and river side laborers. Between 20,000 and 30,000 men are expected to go out tomorrow unless concessions asked for are granted.

Special reduction sale of Manhattan shirts at J. M. Solky & Co's. **

OWES HER HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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"I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for the Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies. I tell every one I meet that I owe my health and happiness to these wonderful medicines." —Mrs. J. G. JOHNSON, Scottville, Mich., R.F.D. 3.

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Black Silk Waists, made of good Taffeta Silk; all sizes; special, at $2.98

Special Table Linen, 64-in. wide, at ..49c

50c Table Napkins, ready hemmed; special, at 39c

Black Silk Hose; special heavy quality, at $1.50

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20 YEARS FOR WIFE MURDERER

Wm. Stepney, Mulatto, Guilty in Second Degree—Sandlin Will Be Sentenced This Morning—No More Jury Trials.

"Guilty of murder in second degree" was the verdict returned by a Superior Court jury at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after deliberating for about 20 minutes, in the case against William Stepney, a one-legged mulatto, said to have tuberculosis, who shot and killed his wife in what is supposed to have been a jealous rage in the southern section of the city a few months ago, and was sentenced by Judge E. B. Cline to a term of 20 years in the State penitentiary at Raleigh, to be assigned to such work as the prison authorities may direct.

The verdict was no surprise. The State contended only for second degree—a verdict of first degree might as easily have been secured, but no doubt the solicitor took into consideration the condition of the prisoner, who apparently has but a few years to live at most. It is not the desire of the court that he die in prison, however, and Judge Cline stated that if the prisoner's health grew worse and there remained no hope for him he would gladly sign a petition to the Governor asking for executive clemency.

The tiral of Stepney is the last criminal matter to be heard by a jury at this term of court and the jury was excused yesterday afternoon. L. M. Sandlin, the white man convicted a few days ago of first degree murder for the killing of his wife, will receive the death sentence at 10 o'clock this morning. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., counsel for the defendant, will take an appeal to Supreme Court and believes that he has good grounds for a new trial. The remainder of the day in court will be consumed in the trial of a few divorce cases, argument of motions, etc., and will probably adjourn in the afternoon for the term.

Only a few minutes were required to select the jury in the Stepney case, as follows: L. Y. Styne, Julius Taylor, H. F. Newkirk, G. C. McIntyre, J. W. Farrow, W. A. Farley, Walter Farrow, B. B. Cavanaugh, W. R. Hartsfield, E. P. Schulken, A. A. Brown and G. B. King. The evidence for the prosecution was in in less than an hour, when court took a recess for dinner until 2:30 o'clock. The defnse decided to introduce no testimony and when court reconvened argument of counsel was begun. Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., represented the defendant, while George L. Peschau, Esq., appeared with the solicitor in the prosecution.

Katie Williams testified that she saw Charity Stepney, wife of William Stepney, rush out of the house on South 11th street early in the afternoon of May 30th. When the Stepney woman had gotten to the steps witness heard a pistol shot. Witness heard her cry out and looking around saw that she had been shot. Ben Williams saw the enactment of the awful tragedy. He saw Charity Stepney rush out of the house, followed only by her husband, William Stepney. The woman was lying on the ground dying when Robert Collins, another witness, got there. He saw William Stepney walk up and ask her if she was dying, and then stated that he would shoot himself so that both could go to hell together. Richard Loftin got there a few minutes after the shooting and saw Stepney coming from the direction of Queen street with a pistol dangling at his finger's ends.

When Judge Cline announced his readiness to pass sentence, Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., counsel for the defendant, called attention of the court to the fact that Stepney is suffering from trouble said to be tuberculosis and that in the opinion of a physician will not live many years at the outside. Judge Cline said that it was a very mystifying case. Why the negro slew his wife is not clear—it was not shown in the evidence, and the court could see nothing in the evidence to show any circumstances in favor of the defendant.

Solicitor Shaw stated that his information was that the defendant and his wife lived a cat and dog life, were quarreling continually. The defendant, he said, came to him unsolicited and asked to be submitted to second degree murder and beg the mercy of the court on account of his condition. However, the solicitor would not accept his plea as it was not made through his attorney, who decided to fight as long as there was anything for which to fight. Mr. Shaw said that the condition of the prisoner and personal appeals to him caused him to yield to a contention for only second degree murder. But the time of the court had been taken up in the trial of the case, the defendant had the advantage of a fair and impartial jury, one of the finest he had ever seen in the box in this county, and His Honor's charge was fair and impartial, in view of these things the solicitor said he would not suggest to the court what sentence to impose, leaving it entirely to His Honor's splendid judgment.

In passing sentence Judge Cline stated that he would reserve the right to sign a behalf petition in the prisoner's behalf in the event his health continues to grow worse. Judge Cline admonished the prisoner to prepare himself to meet face to face the judges of all judges and to live the remainder of his life, be it for a few years or for longer period, so that he would atone as far as possible for the awful crime of which he was convicted. If the law had been entirely vindicated the defendant might have lost his life, said Judge Cline. Now that he has been given the opportunity the prisoner should strive to live so that a meeting with his wife—the woman he killed—in the other world will not be feared. Stepney showed no emotion whatever.

Mr. Bellamy stated that he thought the judgment of the court just and also that it was a jus verdict. Judge Cline remarked that had the negro submitted he would have given him the same sentence. In other words, he did not make the sentence longer because Mr. Bellamy had contested the case.

John Brown, colored, who was convicted Wednesday afternoon of embezzlement from Armour & Co., was sentenced to two years on the county roads. In making an eloquent as well as earnest plea in behalf of his client, Woodus Kellum, Esq., called attention of the court to the fact that according to the testimony of a representative of Armour & Co., the negro was allowed to carry home with him every night $30 to $40 in money and that the shortage complained of in the bill of indictment was not discovered for 10 days after the alleged commission of the offense. This was brought out to show the temptations placed before the negro. This reminded one in the court room of the fact that there are some young women, maybe some young men as well, who are working on small salaries in places where they have to handle considerable money and yet are not provided with a place to deposit this money when they go to dinner, or at night, when any money is taken in after the regular period of collection by the person holding the combination to the safe. In the event any of the money is lost or stolen from her, the young woman must make it good, although she may be receiving less in salary a month than the amount she was required to replace.

That there has been a change of sentiment in Wilmington in favor of the enforcement of the law, is strikingly shown in the number of convictions secured. There were heard 30 cases. Out of this number there were 24 convictions and submissions, five acquittals and one mistrial. This is considered a good record for any county and an especially fine one for New Hanover. The solicitor was assisted in nearly all these cases by Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., assistant city attorney, whose service was of great value, particularly so on account of the fact that he was familiar with most of the cases, having appeared in them in the lower court.

Judgment was signed by Judge Cline in the case of Robert G. Grady against the Norfolk & Southern Railroad Co., Norfolk & Southern Railway Co., and receivers of the Northern & Southern Railway Co., it appearing to the court that the case had been settled. Davis & Davis represented the railroad and C. D. Weeks, Esq., the plaintiff.

Woodus Kellum, Esq., counsel for Joe Hobbs, a young white man, who was indicted in Justice Harriss' court for selling whiskey and skipped his bond of $100 in cash, asked that the court permit the return of the money to the defendant instead of its going to the school fund. Mr. Kellum pointed out the circumstances of the case, which was started at the instance of John Bradshaw, his former business partner. Judge Cline said that he would sign an order remaiding the matter to Justice Harriss, who has expressed a willingness to be guided by any suggestion of the court.

NEW FREIGHT SCHEDULE

Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern Now Ready for Shipments.

Effective August 1st, freight traffic was inaugurated on the recently completed Wilmington, Brunswick & Southern Railroad between this city and Southport and as an indication of what may be expected 12 car loads were handled on the first train. The freight schedule will be daily and rates will be quoted on application. There are now 11 lumber enterprises situated along the new road and two more are negotiating with a view to locating on the line. A passenger schedule will be inaugurated as soon as the work of surfacing and lining the road is completed.

President Whitehead, of the road, is much encouraged at the outlook and says that the new road will develop a wonderful trucking section. He expects to handle between 50,000 and 100,000 crates of berries from the new territory next season. During September and October, the industrial agent of the road will be sent through the country instructing growers in the preparation of the soil and the setting out of the plants. It is stated that plants will likely be furnished free of charge to those who wish to engage in berry growing. The country through which the new road runs is developing rapidly and ere long will be one of the richest in this whole section.

PECULIARLY SAD DEATH

Little Miss Mary Josephine Corbett Enters Into Rest—Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbett and other members of the sorely distressed family have the tenderest sympathy of the entire community and of many friends elsewhere in the peculiarly sad death of little Miss Mary Josephine Corbett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Corbett, which occurred at the family home in this city, No. 119 South Third street, at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning after an illness of weeks with typhoid fever. The child was the joy and inspiration of fondly devoted parents and sisters and brothers and their grief is almost more than they can bear. The little one was attacked with fever several weeks ago and although given the tenderest nursing and the attention of one of the most skilled physician, all was powerless to stay the hand of death and the summons came yesterday morning as a relief to days of suffering but as a blow to friends and hundreds of young friends and acquaintances in Wilmington, to whom she had endeared herself by her gentility of nature and the charm of a sweet and most lovable disposition.

The funeral will be conducted this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the family residence, to St. Thomas' Catholic church, thence to Oakdale cemetery, where the remains will be laid to rest.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Dan Benton and wife to B. Frank Brittain, Jr., for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Second, 99 feet north of Wooster street. Winter Park Gardens Co., to Thos. Hawkins and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot 105 Winter Park; The American Suburban Development Co., to A. E. Blake, for $325, lot at Carolina Place, same being on northwest corner of 21st street and Perry avenue, 33x113 feet in size; Mrs. Josephine B. Metts and husband to Chas. Shepard, for $275, lot on north side of Orange, 75 feet east of 11th, 37x66 feet in size.

A King Who Left Home

set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all Laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

BRUNSWICK COUNTY NEWS

Dr. Russell Bellamy Opens Office in Southport—Other Items.

The following items of interest are from yesterday's Southport News:

"Dr. Russell Bellamy, of Wilmington, is opening an office in the building on Moore street, occupied by Messrs. Stevens and Taylor. Dr. Bellamy has had extensive practice in the North and study abroad, having been for eighteen years in New York, seven seasons at Newport, and for the last two years in Wilmington. He has made a specialty of constructive surgery, having had large experience in hospital, military and general practice. Dr. Bellamy has a particularly warm regard for Southport and Brunswick county by reason of the extensive property interests of his forbears, and the fact that his mother, Mrs. Daniel Russell, was born on the 28,000-acre plantation owned by her father in the early days of the county's history.

"Mr. James H. Chadbourn, a prominent Wilmington resident, has purchased the house belonging to Mrs. Alice Fefel, on Potts street. Mr. Chadbourn intends making extensive improvements on the property. Mr. Chadbourn has also bought some lots farther north, on the same street, from Mr. W. H. Pyke, on which, we understand, he intends building several dwellings for rental purposes.

"The most important step taken this week in connection with Southport's new railroad is the location of passenger and freight terminals. The former is to be situated at the corner of Nash and Rhett streets, and the latter is farther down Rhett street to the water front. President Whitehead spends considerable time now-a-days in this city looking after all the details of the work, and everything is moving ahead as fast as can be. One gang of men is operating from Bolivia, putting the track in proper shape, while another set of workmen are pushing the ties and rails clear to the banks of the Cape Fear. It is hoped all may be in readiness for the grand celebration on or before Labor Day.

"We can state, almost without certainty, that Southport is soon to have a splendid, up-to-date hotel, on a corner on the water front. The plans are almost completed and the News hopes soon to announce that ground has been broken. Outside capital is getting interested in Southport. Northern money will build the hotel."

CONCERTS AT CAROLINA BEACH.

Peiffer's Orchestra to Be Heard Afternoon and Evening—Programme

Two delightful concerts will be given in the handsome new pavilion at Carolina Beach on Sunday and one of the largest crowds of the season is expected. The music will be by Peiffer's orchestra, of the Airdome theatre, and this is sufficient guarantee of the high-class of the entertainment. There will be three trips of the steamer Wilmington at 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. and the fare is only 25 cents for the round trip. The programmes are as follows:

Afternoon Concert

Under the Banner of Victor .Von Blon
Softly Unawares .....Linke
"I Love It," Medley .....Von Tilzer
Hearts on Fire .....H. Bauer
Autumn Breezes, Tone Poem ..King
Two Popular Numbers
Stop, Stop, Stop; Some of these Days.
Selection from "The Dollar Princess" Leon Fall
March, "The Winning Fight,".....Abe Holzman.

Evening Concert

March, "Agudwun," .....Shipman
Patriotic Overture, Standard American Airs, ...Arr. Geo. Rosey
The Glow Worm .....Linke
(a) Steamboat Bill
(b) Put Your Arms Around Me Honey
Serenate .....Moszkowski
"The Chocolate Soldier," Selection,.....Oscar Straus

THE MONTHLY AUDIT.

Shows the Condition of the City Treasury—Figures.

The monthly statement of the city clerk and treasurer which will be presented at the next meeting of the Council, shows that during the month of July there were collected for the general fund from all sources, including taxes on real, personal and poll tax, special license taxes, etc., amounted to $3,834.43; balance on hand July 1st, $31,084.94, a total of $34,909.37; disbursements during month, $15,385.24, leaving on hand August 1st, $19,524.13.

In the Water and Sewerage operating department there were on hand July 1st $6,528.83; receipts during the month, $7,166.63; disbursements, $1,509.59, leaving a balance of $12,194.87. Of the bond fund there remains $35,816.85.

Of the $84,143.46 remaining July 1st of the street improvement bond fund, $5,560.54 were spent during the month, leaving a balance of $78,582.82.

During the month $4.82 was received for the park fund, running the total up to $487.53. On the guarantee fund $2.52 was received, making a total on hand of the fund, $254.64. The sinking fund now amounts to $14,401.19, $960 having been received during the month. As a sanitary fund $102 was received and $40.75 was received in interest.

This shows a balance in the city treasury for all purposes and in all departments of $161,404.78.

Fine Outing at Carolina.

One of the most successful excursions of the season to Carolina Beach was that of yesterday under the auspices of the Cape Fear Independent Band of Wilmington. The steamer Wilmington made three trips and hauled a total of 616 passengers. The last boat returned to the city at midnight. There was music by the brass band and a string band and dancing all day. Mr. B. D. Hamilton is general manager of the band and to him is due in a large measure the success of the outing.

Death of Little Son.

The body of Charles R. Watkins, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Watkins, who died at the family home, No. 1101 North Second street Wednesday afternoon, was taken yesterday morning to Rocky Point, where the funeral and interment took place. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will tenderly sympathize with them in their bereavement.

Come while this sale lasts, only a few days more. Manhattan shirts at reduced prices at J. M. Solky & Co's. **

MUNICIPAL SEWERAGE SYSTEM

Mass Meeting of Citizens Called for Tonight to Consider Purchase of Existing Plant—Lardge Attendance Desired.

For the purpose of securing some expression from the people to guide them, in consideration of the matter of the purchase of the existing sewerage system, provided it may be bought at a reasonable figure, a mass meeting of the citizens of the city has been called by the City Council to be held in the Court House this evening at 8 o'clock, and it is hoped that the attendance will be large and representative and that there will be a free and full discussion of the question, which is one of such vital importance at this time.

The Mayor and members of the Council will be present and the bondholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Co., which owns the existing plant, will most likely be represented by Iredell Meares, Esq., their attorney. Mr. W. B. D. Smith, president of the Municipal Utilities Co., of Philadelphia, Mr. Geo. Brown, the trust officer of the Bucks County Trust Co., of Doylestown, Pa., the last two named being members of a committee of three, which now has charge of the operation of the plant for the bondholders. Messrs. Smith and Brown have already arrived and with Mr. Meares called upon Mayor Joseph D. Smith in his office yesterday afternoon.

There were present one or two members of Council and the sewerage question was informally discussed.

The sewerage question has been hanging fire for two years or more, and it is now nearing settlement. It is important that final action be taken right away. Just what will be done cannot be foretold, but it is believed by some that the proposition of the bondholders to enlarge the system and sell the entire plant to the city at a stipulated sum, on long instalment, will be accepted, as this would enable the city to get a complete plant right away, without another bond issue, whereas, the construction of an entire new system by the city would necessitate an additional bond issue, or the raising of $50,000 or more in some other way. Others think that the city will purchase the existing plant as it stands and make the extensions and improvements necessary. Still others have suggested that the proper thing to do is to let the existing plant continue to be operated by the private concern and the city spend what money is now available in the sewering of the outlying districts, which are not now sewered. From every angle will this matter be discussed tonight and the citizens are urged to turn out in great numbers, hear and take part in the discussions.

MRS. PEARSON LEAVES SOON.

Sunday Will be Last Time She Will Sing at Beach.

Sunday at Lumina and the Seashore Hotel, Mrs. Frank Pearson, the noted soprano of Atlanta, Georgia, who has been filling an engagement with the Grand Theatre in this city, will make her final appearance at the regular Sunday concerts, much to the regret of the many who have listened with pleasure to her singing for the past few weeks.

While filling her engagement in the city, Mrs. Pearson was a guest at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, and aside from her magnificent voice, her charming personality has won her a host of new friends. She has kindly consented to sing at each of the Sunday concerts since she has been stopping there and her beautiful voice has delighted the hundreds of guests at this popular hostelry.

She has also been appearing at the Sunday afternoon and evening concerts at Lumina, and here, too, her work has been the feature.

It is safe to say that the announcement of her last appearance at the beach, while being received with regret, will be the means of drawing to the resort Sunday many who will go for the principal purpose of hearing her sing once more.

HEARING AS TO SANITY.

Mr. W. L. Dukes Will Endeavor to Show He is Not Crazy.

There will be a hearing before Col. John D. Taylor, Clerk of Superior Court, this morning to determine whether or not Mr. W. L. Dukes, an aged man, is mentally unbalanced. His wife made affidavit that he is insane and he was taken in custody Wednesday night and committed to jail until the hearing. Mr. Dukes has employed the firm of Kellum & Loughlin and will endeavor to show to the satisfaction of the court that he is sane. This is the first contested case of the kind in this city in a long time.

Funeral of Mr. C. J. Miller.

The funeral of Mr. C. J. Miller, of Rocky Point, who died at the Wilmington Sanitarium Wednesday morning as the result of a wound in the head received by a kick from his horse, was held at Acorn Branch Methodist Church, this county, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. R. A. Bruton, of Scott's Hill. The interment was in the graveyard there. The pall-bearers were members of Cape Fear Lodge, Odd Fellows, and Clarendon Lodge, K. of P., of this city, as follows: Messrs. S. J. Ellis, W. W. Yopp, L. W. Moore, Frank Garrison, John P. Quelch, Dr. M. H. P. Clark. Mr. Miller was affiliated with both lodges.

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BOAT RACE YESTERDAY.

Yachts Sailed Under New Measurements—Close Contest.

An open race was sailed over the course of the Carolina Yacht Club yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and owing to the fact that there was some question as to the measurements of the Puzzle, it was announced last night that the winner could not be definitely stated. However, unofficial reports have it that the Dixie, by Capt. W. L. Parsley, was first by at least 20 seconds. The boats were sailed under new measurements, and this fact added to the interest of the contest.

Providing the computations prove that the Dixie was the winner, the Puzzle, by Capt. E. A. Metts, was second; the Don Julian, by Capt. C. A. Wiggins, third; No. 66, by Capt. Stevenson Brown, fourth; No. 65, Capt. Rob. Davis, fifth.

The next race scheduled is for Saturday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, and this race is for Class A boats only.

This will be the fourth race of the series for the Walter Jones trophy.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Several Cases Were Disposed of Yesterday Morning.

In the Recorder's court yesterday morning Jason Capehart, colored, was found not guilty of a charge of assault with deadly weapon on William Riley, colored, and he was also acquitted of a charge of disorderly conduct. John Washington, colored, was found not guilty of vagrancy. Elmer Phillips and Dave Judge, colored, who were arrested last Saturday at the time Frank Davis, colored, was shot and killed, at Hilton by an officer, were given 30 days each on the county roads for gambling. However, the sentence is not to be executed so long as the negroes are on their good behavior. They paid the costs and were released. Robt. Morris and Richard Plummer, colored, paid $5 each and costs for a violation of the sanitary ordinance. The session was presided over by Substitute Recorder George Harriss.

Atlanta, Ga., August 3.—By an almost unanimous vote the House Committee on Constitutional Amendments today approved the bill making provision for the removal of the State capital to Macon. Macon's convention for the State capital is based on the claims that it is more centrally located geographically and that South Georgia is growing more rapidly than any other section of the State.

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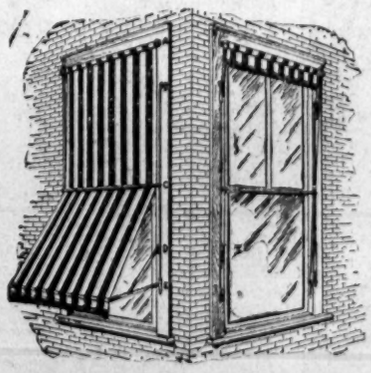

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On the field of battle won,
And tell, in song and story,
Of deeds of valor done—
My harp is tuned to a note above,
And sings alone of purest love.

'Tis not the love the mother bears
Her lost and cherished son,
Nor that the hero, bold, declares
For the maid whose heart he won—
But the godlike love the Master shows—
Such loving kindness to his foes.

'Twas in the golden days before
The fratricidal strife
When brothers met, on field of gore,
And sacrificed their life—
Contending nobly for the trust
Each patriot thought was right and just.

Two noble boys at college met,
And soon a friendship formed
That stronger grew, and deeper, yet,
As the happy days sped on—
Though Jim in the icy North resides;
In the Sunny South Albert abides.

Alas! the college days are done;
The drum-beat sounds the call;
And our two patriot boys, alone
With God, in the college hall,
Their true, undying vows repeat,
Then off, where the war-god holds a fete.

Jim joins the marshalled host in blue
That march 'neath the starry flag;
Albert, alike as brave and true,
The gray-clad braves that never lag
When duty calls, and bears aloft
With knightly mien the Southern cross.

The combat deepens; all around
Death and destruction reign;
The dead and dying strew the ground,
And brothers, like incarnate fiends
Rush on, to carnage, gore and death,
In frenzied rage, with bated breath.

Hark! 'midst the fury of the fray
A faint, familiar sound
Falls on the ear of one in gray;
It calls his name—he looks around.
A wounded Yankee he beholds,
A brother in his arms infolds.

And there, amidst the reign of death,
He ministers relief;
From canteen gives a cooling draught;
His bosom yearns with grief,
As o'er his prostrate foe he bends;
A brother's aid to him extends.

From his own back his coat he takes,
And wraps his dying friend;
Kisses his brow, for pure love's sake;
"God bless you!" and off again
Where duty calls. Heaven saw the deed;
Angels record in fitting meed.

On Appomattox's fateful field
Where the starry cross went down,
And the valiant band to numbers yield,
As their faithful arms they ground,
Jim sought for Albert—sad to tell,
At the bloody Wilderness he fell.

Now the old gray coat is a trophy dear
To a man who wore the blue;
His children gather 'round to hear
Its tale of friendship, true,
Of friendship true, and love divine,
The highest joys of Heaven combine.

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Wilmington, N. C.

Mrs. M. L. Stover and daughter left last evening for Chautauqua, N. Y., where they will spend some time.

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Raleigh News and Observer, yesterday: "Miss Annie Lacy returned yesterday from a visit to Wilmington."

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Miss Lillian Vaughan leaves this morning for Raleigh, where she will spend several days visiting friends.

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Miss Ophelia Thompson, who has been visiting Mrs. S. G. Long, returned to her home in Columbia yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rankin, of Greensboro, and Mrs. J. D. Albright, of Charlotte, are visiting Mrs. A. G. Warren.

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Mr. W. W. Whaley and Miss Ruth Whaley, of Lumberton, are spending a few days quite pleasantly at Wrightsville Beach.

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Major J. R. Paddison, of Mount Airy, N. C., accompanied by his daughter, Miss N. G. Paddison, have been visiting friends in the city during the reunion.

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Wednesday's Newbern Sun: "Mrs. James Holton, of Wilmington, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Kehoe, left this morning returning home."

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Fayetteville Observer, 3rd: "Miss Belle Smith, the capable and accommodating manager of the Postal-Cable Telegraph Company, has returned from a visit to Goldsboro and Wrightsville Beach."

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Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, and Mrs. Whitlosk, have returned from a visit of ten days to the western part of the State. They spent most of their time at Franklin, Macon county, where Mr. Whitlock conducted a most successful revival.

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Master William Moore Pearson, who has been spending a month at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, with his mother, Mrs. Frank Pearson, of Atlanta, left yesterday for his home. Master William made many friends during his stay at the resort and will be missed by them.

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Wednesday's Greensboro Telegram: "Mrs. John A. Gilmer returned last evening from Wrightsville Beach, where, accompanied by Misses Kate Hardie, Eloise Dick, and Annie Merritt, she went last week to spend several days. The young ladies will remain at the resort for a few days longer before returning home."

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. W. E. Cunningham and Miss Cloud Kell spent yesterday in the city on their way to their home in Providence from Wrightsville Beach. ——Miss Margaret Bridgers of Wilmington, arrived in the city last night to spend several days as the guest of Miss Margaret Reese, at her home on North Church street. Miss Reese and Miss Bridgers will leave tomorrow for Blowing Rock to attend the house party which Miss Nell Battle will give there. Miss Mary Brockenbrough will also be one of Miss Battle's guests."

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Saturday afternoon at Wrightsville Beach there will be given a party for all the babies on the Beach and city. It will be held in the ball room at the Seashore Hotel from 4:30 to 6 o'clock under the Auspices of the New Hanover County Alumnae of the State Normal College. The youngsters will be entertained at a "donkey party," a baby show, and other enjoyable features. Dainty refreshments will be served. An admission of five cents will be charged, the proceeds to go towards the Meiver Loan Fund of the Normal College. All the babies who will attend are promised an enjoyable afternoon.

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Mrs. C. M. Tolar, of Page's Mill, S. C., who underwent an operation at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Monday, is resting well and is fast on the way to complete recovery. Her brother, Dr. C. T. Ford, of Mullins, returned home yesterday after a visit of several days to his son, Mr. H. H. Ford, of this city.

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Tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tiencken, at corner of Fourth and Castle streets, a delightful out-door party will be given under the auspices of the Parish Guild, of the Church of the Good Shepherd. The party will be held on the lawn and a pleasant time is promised those who attend. The public is cordially invited to attend and listen to the music and partake of the refreshments to be served.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. D. Medlin, of Maxton, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. V. J. McArthur, postmaster at Clinton, N. C., is in the city to attend the reunion and spend a short time at the beach.

—Mr. E. M. Highsmith returned to his home at Kerr, N. C., yesterday after a visit of a few days to his brother, Mr. S. F. Highsmith.

—Mr. Andrew J. Howell, assistant to Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, leaves this morning for Montreat, where he will spend his vacation.

—Mr. E. B. Snipes is suffering from an acute attack of appendicitis at his home. His friends will be glad to learn, however, that an operation is hardly deemed necessary and that it is hoped that he will be out in a few days.

—It was stated at the James Walker Memorial Hospital last night that Motorman O. O. Watts, of the Tidewater Power Co., who was injured in a fall from his car Wednesday, is doing nicely and that unless unforeseen complications set in his recovery seems assured.

—Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will be able to leave the hospital in Richmond, where he has been confined for some time, in a few days. Before returning to Wilmington Dr. Wells will go to Lewisburg, W. Va., where he will spend several weeks recuperating.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Sunday School teachers of Brooklyn Baptist Church will hold a meeting at the church tonight at 8 o'clock.

—The schooner Edward R. Baird, Jr., cleared yesterday for Little River, S. C., where she will receive cargo of lumber from the Hammer Lumber Co., for Northern markets.

—The United States dredge Jacksonville, having finished her work in this district, will return to the Jacksonville district next week. Capt. L. H. Rand, U. S. A., has asked for bids for towing the dredge back. Bids will be opened August 8th.

WHITE ON STAND AGAIN.

Lorimer's Attorney Tries to Break Down Evidence Against Senator.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Religion, morality, civil government and literature figured oday before the Senate Lorimer Committee along with reputed corruption in the Illinois Legislature during the cross examination of Chas. A. White, confessed bribe taker in the Lorimer election.

White's ideas along many subjects were developed to show his character and literary ability. Whether he had the ability to write his "confession" has been disputed. After White had told of the old "Deities" levying on their subjects to build the pyramids, to show he had read Roman history, and after he had quoted Ingersol's oration at his brother's grave to prove that Ingersoll really was not an atheist, Attorney Elbridge Hanecy, who conducted the cross examination for Senator Lorimer, took up other subjects.

To repeated questions, he declared that Sweeney Yarborough was in his room the night Lee O'Neil Brown called White out to get him to vote for Lorimer, and not in Chicago, as other witnesses claim. He denied having told George Gloss, the Chicago street car man, that he was going to vote for Lorimer and also denied a conversation to similar effect with Representative Shaw; swore he had held with White. White admits that the letters he wrote to Brown and Senator Lorimer contained "pure and simple lies," "Anglo-Saxon lies," "hypocrisy," "falsehoods," and other harsh names. White added almost each time that he wrote them to get admissions to substantiate the exposure he was preparing to make.

BLACK HAND LETTERS GIVEN.

Widow of Man Murdered at New Orleans Hands Two to Detectives.

New Orleans, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Joseph Davis, who was brutally beaten by a marauder who killed her husband as he lay in bed beside her several weeks ago, has handed to the city detectives two "Black Hand" letters which she says she found in the bottom of an old trunk following a dream about her husband indicating their whereabouts.

The letters, like one already in the possession of detectives, are written in Italian, both demanding money. They were received one year ago. They furnish no clue as to the identity of the murderer of Davis.

DIED.

CORBETT.—At 7:30 A. M., August 3rd, 1911, MARY JOSEPHINE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbett, age 12 years.

Funeral at 4 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon from residence of her parents, to St. Thomas Catholic Church, thence to Oakdale cemetery.

..Theatrical..

Today the Bijou makes one of the most extraordinary offerings it has ever made, and one of the most enterprising, at great expense. It will offer the people of Wilmington one of the first copies received in this country of the coronation of King George, and it will offer this wonderful film as an extra attraction and without advancing the tiny price of admission. This firm, which costs a big daily rental and for which presentation the Bijou has made extensive special preparations, will be presented as an additional feature to the regular big bill, and the price of admission will remain at 5 cents. The coronation film presents all the brilliant scenes of the event, including the gorgeous parade, and shows all the distinguished guests, including John Hays Hammond, special ambassador from the United States. The film has been pronounced the most remarkable ever made. Preparing for getting the pictures and their subsequent making cost the manufacturers thousands of dollars. The Bijou will present the film in fine and complete style, details and effects being given special attention. The music for today will be appropriate and Mr. Fank Banks will render a big song success. The star of the other films to be offered today will be "The Two Fugitive." It is a novel tale of adventure, which introduces a series of detective plays that are ingenius and thrilling. It tells of an Englishman who embezzles and then comes to America, where he marries and lives an honest life, and of the subsequent detection and chase, with the sacrifice a second fugitive makes for the sake of No. one's wife and children. It is an exceptional film.

HEAVY RAIN YESTERDAY

Relieved Situation In Many North Carolina Towns.

Raleigh, N. C., August 3.—A heavy rain passed over this city and section this afternoon and is believed to have given the water shed for the city water supply a good flooding that will relieve at least for some days to come the water famine that has been impending. Prior to the coming of this rain there was the deepest anxiety about the water situation. There was held this forenoon a conference between the board of aldermen and the directors of the Wake Water Co., with the result that the water committee of the aldermen was empowered to use its discretion as to cutting on and off the water supply for the city so as to conserve to the best advantage the water available for actual necessities. The officers of the water company informed the aldermen that they had fifteen huge oil tank cars that can be pressed into service any day to haul water from the Eno river to Raleigh by rail, the purpose being to get water at the intake for the Durham supply where they were advised that there was 9,000,000 gallons available without interferring with Durham's supply. Gilbert C. White, engineer in charge of the enlargement of the water supply to relieve the terrible water famine that is on in Charlotte, was here last night and this forenoon conferring with the Wake Water Co., with reference to the Raleigh situation and assured the officers that he believed they were doing all they can do to take care of the situation. He went into the matter of providing permanent relief to some extent but nothing was given out as to conclusions as to this matter. Indeed, his investigation was hurried and will be followed up by more detailed examination before the work of permanent relief is gotten underway.

The premium list for the fifty-first North Carolina State Fair is just from the printers and shows the most extensive premium offerings by far that the State has yet undertaken. The wonderful growth of the fair is indicated by the fact that last fair there were eighty-three solid cars of exhibits compared with forty-two for the previous year while there was paid out last year over $5,000 in premiums against a little over $3,000 for the previous fair. The poultry, the tobacco, the field and grain crops, educational and other premiums have all been materially increased, as has the list of awards for live stock. Altogether the outlook for the fair is exceptionally promising for the biggest State Fair yet held.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 3.—Before noon today Raleigh faced a water famine, but by night over a half inch of rain had fallen on the watershed and the situation was somewhat relieved. Had not this rain come it would have been necessary to haul water here from other points. The city aldermen today held a called meeting and took steps toward action in case of an extremity.

HEALTHY MOTHERS

Women who bear children and remain healthy are those who prepare their systems in advance of baby's coming. Unless the mother aids nature in its pre-natal work the crisis finds her system unequal to the demands made upon it, and she is often left with weakened health or chronic ailments. No remedy is so truly a help to nature as Mother's Friend, and no expectant mother should fail to use it. It relieves the pain and discomfort caused by the strain on the ligaments, makes pliant and elastic those fibres and muscles which nature is expanding, prevents numbness of limbs, and soothes the inflammation of breast glands. The system being thus prepared by Mother's Friend dispels the fear that the crisis may not be safely met. Mother's Friend assures a speedy and complete recovery for the mother, and she is left a healthy woman to enjoy the rearing of her child. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

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AFTER THE TOBACCO TRUST

Enjoins Defendants from Extending Power of Combination.

New York, August 3.——The United States Circuit Court, under whose direction the American Tobacco Company will work out its dissolution, handed down this afternoon on the mandate of the Federal Supreme Court, an order outlining conditions under which the company may perfect plans for dissolving. A clause in the order enjoins the defendants from doing any act which may further enlarge and extend the power of the combination prior to its disintegration. The order was handed down by Judges Lacombe, Ward and Noyes, following a conference held with Attorney General Wickersham, United States District Attorney Wise, counsel for the American Tobacco Company, the British-American Tobacco Company and the United Cigar Stores Company.

Preliminary plans of the disintegration of the American Tobacco Company were submitted by its counsel and discussed by lawyers in the court. The three judges expressed no poinion regarding them, however.

After the reciting of the decree of the Supreme Court, the court serves notice that it will tie up the company's shipments or appoint a receiver as ordered by the higher tribunal should counsel fail to submit an acceptable plan of dissolution by December 30th next or sixty days therefrom, if the Circuit Court should grant such an extension. Leave is given counsel to apply for more specific directions in this regard and also to any party to apply from time to time for relief which may seem in conformity with the judgment of the Supreme Court."

"Pending the dissolution of the combination," the decree reads, "and the re-creation of a new condition honestly in harmony with the law, all of the defendants, their agents, and servants, are hereby restrained and enjoined from doing any act which might further extend or enlarge the power of the combination by any means or device whatsoever."

Counsel in the case regard the decree as enjoining the United Cigar Stores Company and the other defendants from extending their business by the opening of new stores or by contracting for unusually large quantities of supplies during the life of the American Tobacco Company.

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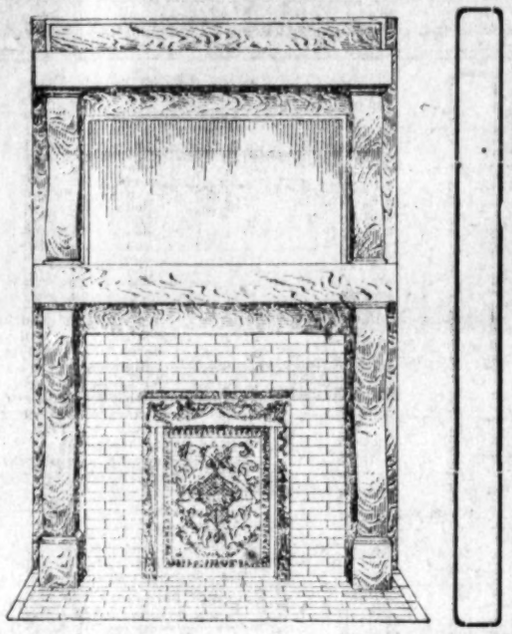

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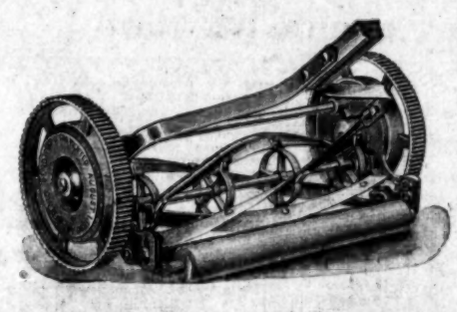

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON SHOWS FIRMER TONE

Renewal of Bull Support and Active Covering of Shorts Feature— A Gain of 32 to 37 Points During the Day.

New York, Aug. 3.—The cotton market showed a decidedly firmer tone today, owing to a renewal of bull support and active covering of shorts, which resulted in advances of nearly $2 per bale. The close was strong and last prices showed a net gain of from 32 to 37 points, being within a point or two of the best on the active positions.

The opening was steady, at an advance of 6@11 points, in response to higher Liverpool cables. At the start, buyers seemed to find all the cotton offering that they wanted, and early fluctuations were somewhat irregular, with active months easing back to about the closing figures of yesterday, but the buying was of a good character, offerings soon became lighter and the market turned firm.

Shorts became increasingly active buyers on a scale-up, and the market during the afternoon was very strong and excited, owing to rumors that one of the most prominent of the old crop bull leaders had formed a very powerful pool for the purpose of supporting prices. The talk was that this combination was the most strongly financed that had ever entered the market, and with the feeling more or less general that the short interest was overextended, following the recent sensational break, buyers showed more confidence than for weeks past, and after new crop positions had sold through 11¼ cent stop loss orders were uncovered.

August contracts sold up to 12.49, forty points above last night's close, and eighty-five points above the recent low record, while December contracts at 11.35 showed a net advance of 38 points and a recovery of 53 points, $2.65 per bale from the low level of the week.

In addition to the rumors regarding a new bull pool the market was influenced by smaller offerings from the South and more numerous reports of crop damage, based upon wet weather and insects.

Receipts today, 371 bales, against 659 last week and 1,033 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 322 bales, against 253 last year, and at Houston, 1,904 bales, against 676 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 12.60; do. gulf, 12.85; no sales.

Cotton futures opened steady and closed strong.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	12.20	12.49	12.13	12.45
September	11.18	11.50	11.12	11.50
October	11.04	11.36	10.96	11.34
November	.....	.....	.....	11.29
December	11.04	11.35	10.97	11.34
January	10.98	11.30	10.93	11.29
March	11.10	11.38	11.03	11.37
April	.....	11.46	11.46	11.46
May	11.24	11.47	11.12	11.46

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 12 3-16; sales, 620; stock, 3,359; coastwise, 194.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts, 322; gross receipts, 322; sales, 350; stock, 24,622; Great Britain, 243.

Mobile—Nominal, 12¼; net receipts, 7; gross receipts, 7; stock, 373.

Savannah—Nominal, 12¾; net receipts, 23; gross receipts, 100; stock, 12,098.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 3,506.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 143.

Norfolk—Steady, 12½; gross receipts, 380; sales, 1; stock, 1,695; continent, 60; coastwise, 112.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; stock, 1,302.

New York—Quiet, 12.60; gross receipts, 531; stock, 86,508; continent, 155; coastwise, 2,260.

Boston—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts, 12; gross receipts, 2,355; stock, 10,563.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.85; stock, 825.

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Port Townsend—Net receipts, 6; gross receipts, 6; Japan, 6.

Total today at all ports—Net, 371; Great Britain, 243; continent, 215; Japan, 6; stock, 146,564.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 6,540; Great Britain, 645; continent, 8,940, Japan, 6.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,482,825; Great Britain, 3,259,539; France, 900,444; continent, 3,050,258; Japan, 148,972; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 1,904; gross receipts, 1,904; shipments, 420; sales, 2,179; stock, 15,178.

Augusta—Quiet, 13¼; gross receipts, 50; shipments, 219; sales, 11; stock, 2,294.

Memphis—Nominal, 13; net receipts, 10; gross receipts, 250; shipments, 281; sales, 400; stock, 23,823.

St. Louis—Nominal, 13; net receipts, 7; gross receipts, 226; shipments, 219; sales, 20; stock, 5,427.

Cincinati—Stock, 17,361.

Little Rock—Nominal, 12¼; net receipts, 255; gross receipts, 255; shipments, 66; stock, 3,910.

Louisville—Firm, 13.

Total today—Net receipts, 2,176; gross receipts, 2,685; shipments, 1,205; sales, 2,600; stock, 67,993.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Predictions that the export surplus in Russia this season would be only 80,000,000 bushels against a recent average of more than 200,000,000 bushels, took the wheat market aloft today. There were persistent assertions, too, that the presence of black rust in Canadian fields had been confirmed by laboratory tests. Closing prices were firm, at a net advance of 1⅛@1⅝ to 1⅞. Corn finished 1⅛@1⅜ higher than last night. Oats, up ⅝@¾ to ¾@⅞, and hog products varying from 2½ lower to a gain of 22½.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 87⅞@89⅜; No. 3, red, 87@88½; No. 2, hard, 89½@92⅛; No. 3, hard, 88¾@90½; No. 1, northern, 1.06@1.07; No. 1, northern, new, 1.02@1.05; No. 2, northern, 1.03@1.05; No. 2, northern, new, 98@1.02; No. 3, northern, 98@1.00; No. 3, northern, new, 95@98; No. 2, spring, 95@1.00; No. 3, spring, 92@97; velvet chaff, 88@95; durum, 88@95.

Corn—No. 2, 64½@65; No. 2, white, 67½@68⅛; No. 2, yellow, 65@65½; No. 3, 64¼@65; No. 3, white, 66½@67½; No. 3, yellow, 64¾@65¼; No. 4, 64½@64¾; No. 4, yellow, 63½@64½.

Oats—No. 2, new, 40; No. 2, white, new, 40¾@41⅜; No. 3, white, 41@41½; No. 3, white, new, 39½@40¾; No. 4, white, 41@41¾; standard, 40½@41⅜; standard, new, 40@41¼.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Aug	89¼	90	89¾	89¾
Sept	91¼	92⅜	90¾	92
Dec	95½	96½	94¾	96¼
May	99⅝	1.01	99¼	1.00⅜
Corn:				
Sept	64⅝	66	64⅜	65¼
Dec	62⅜	64½	62	63¾
May	64¼	66⅜	64⅝	66
Oats:				
Sept	41⅜	43	41⅝	42½
Dec	44¼	45¼	44⅛	44⅞
May	47⅛	48	47¼	47⅞

Mess Pork, per barrel:

Sept	17.50	17.65	17.45	17.65
Jan	16.32½	16.37½	16.22½	16.37½

Lard, per 100 pounds:

Sept	8.70	8.77½	8.70	8.77½
Oct	8.77½	8.80	8.75	8.80
Dec	8.55	8.57½	8.50	8.57½
Jan	8.60	8.60	8.47½	8.57½

Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:

Sept	9.15	9.25	9.05	9.20
Dec	9.10	9.12	8.97½	9.12½
Jan	8.35	8.35	8.27½	8.35

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 3.—Money on call, steady, at 2¼@2½; ruling rate, 2½; closing bid, 2⅜; offered at 2½. Time loans, firm. Sixty days, 2⅝@3 per cent; ninety days, 3@3¼; six months, 3¾@3¾. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.15 for sixty day bills, and at 4.86.10 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83½; bar silver, 52¼; Mexican dollars, 45.

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Charles Le Couer (Fr.), Condal, C. D. Maffitt.

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Harry Prescott, 411 tons, Philbrook, C. D. Maffitt.

Maud H. Dudley, 327 tons, Grover, C. D. Maffitt.

John W. Hall, 329 tons, Bennett, by master.

Perry Setzer, 1,268 tons, Blake, C. D. Maffitt.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 3.

Atlantic Coast Line—23 casks spirits turpentine; 159 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 54 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Isabelle—3 casks spirits turpentine.

Str. Annie B.—38 casks spirits turpentine.

Str. Moore—9 barrels rosin.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

Total—64 casks spirits turpentine; 183 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 54 barrels crude turpentine.

Total last year—48 casks spirits turpentine; 212 barrels rosin; 52 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 3.—Flour was firmly held with a fair trade.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, strong; No. 2, red, 94⅝c. elevator and 96c. f.o.b., afloat. Futures closed 1⅛@1⅝ net higher. September, 97 3-16; December, 1.01¼.

Corn—Spot, strong; No. 2, 71⅝, elevator, domestic basis, to arrive; No. 2, export, 71¾c. f.o.b. afloat. Options closed nominal; September, 70¾.

Oats—Spot, firmer; standard white, 47½. Options closed nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Molasses—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed firm, at a decline of one point on August, but generally unchanged to 10 points higher. Spot coffee, steady; Rio, No. 7, 13¾; Santos, No. 4, 15¾; mild coffee, quiet; Cordova, 14@16; nominal.

Butter—Steady and unchanged.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

Potatoes—Easy. Southern sweets per barrel, 4.00@5.00.

Cabbages—Dull and unchanged.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Moderately active, with prices higher on outside speculative buying of December, covering of shorts and in sympathy with the advance in cotton. Futures closed 3 to 7 points net higher. August, 5.48@5.55; September, 5.37@5.38; October, 5.35@5.37; November, 5.28@5.30; December, 5.28@5.31. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, 5.51@5.60; prime winter yellow, 5.60@6.25; prime summer white, 5.80@5.95.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 3rd.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 47½ cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.70.

TAR—Firm, at $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine 68

Rosin 183

Tar 20

Crude Turpentine 54

Receipts same day last year, 48 casks turpentine; 212 barrels rosin; (—), barrels tar; 52 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 29th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 12 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, 7 to 7½ per lb.; dry, 12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Business Good; Prices, One Point Higher—Futures.

Liverpool, Aug. 3.—Spot, good business done; prices, one point higher. American middling fair, 7.29; good middling, 6.95; middling, 6.67; low middling, 6.47; good ordinary, 6.21; ordinary, 5.96.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 9,100 American. Receipts, 100 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady. August, 6.33½; August and September, 6.16½; September and October, 5.94½; October and November, 5.88; November and December, 5.84; December and January, 5.83½; January and February, 5.84½; February and March, 5.86½; March and April, 5.88½; April and May, 5.90; May and June, 5.91½.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 3.—Rosin and turpentine, easy.

Charleston, Aug. 3.—Turpentine, firm, at 48¼@48½.

Rosin—Firm. B, 5.10@5.20; D, 5.40@5.55; E, 5.55@5.65; F and G, 6.42½; H, 6.35@6.45; I and K, 6.35@6.45; M, 6.35@6.55; N, 6.50@6.80; W G, 6.90@7.00; W W, 6.90@7.00.

Savannah, Aug. 3.—Turpentine, firm, at 48¼@49; sales, 7.77; receipts, 1,053; shipments, 184; stocks, 29,695.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,929; receipts, 3,527; shipments, 3,578; stock, 118,648. Quote: B, 5.10; D, 5.35@5.45; E, 5.60@5.70; H, I K and M, 6.30@6.35; N, 6.45@6.50; W G, 6.90@6.95; W W, 6.95.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 3.—The cotton goods markets were moderately steady and generally quiet. Yarns are being offered at lower figures and bids are being submitted to mills more freely. A large dress goods sale will be inaugurated next week by the H. B. Claflin Company. Raw silk is quiet and steady.

WEAKNESS IN STOCK MARKET

Several Attempts Made to Recover From Heaviness of Preceding Session—Lowest Level of the Present Movement.

New York, Aug. 3.—The stock market today made several attempts to recover from its heaviness of the preceding session and some ground was regained in the course of the day, but the weight of the selling movement in the final hour drove prices to the lowest level of the present movement. There was marked weakness in the Coppers, Southern Railroad shares, and a number of industrials of minor importance. The decline was arrested for a time in the early session, when buying of the standard stocks and speculative leaders impelled extensive short covering and prices were soon well above yesterday's final quotations. On the rise, however, the market became very dull, a fact that was not regarded as a hopeful augury for the account.

Among the incidents of the day, which tended to exercise a restraining influence on bullish activity was the further weakness of Standard Oil on the curb, the stock making a net decline of 21½ points on unusually heavy offerings. News from Washington that the attorney general is soon to submit to the Treasury Department his report dealing with an inquiry into the formation of a "securities company," recently organized as an adjunct to one of the largest national banks in the country, also furnished food for reflection. Yet another deterrent was found in dispatches from New England, telling of the indefinite shutting down of perhaps the largest cotton mill in the Fall River district, while further curtailment was reported by the textile concerns operating in North Carolina. Heaviness in the Copper shares was partly explained by the reports presented by several leading companies. Much of the day's crop news was of an unfavorable character.

An offset to these adverse factors was found in cables from London, which stated that a possible basis of agreement in the Moroccan situation had been reached.

The bond market again followed the stock market in its irregularity. Total sales, par value, were $2,035,000. nUlted States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks for the day, 409,800 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	22¼
Amalgamated Copper	66
American Agricultural	58¾
American Beet Sugar	52½
American Can	10½
American Car and Foundry	55⅝
American Cotton Oil	55
American Hide and Leather, pfd	23
American Ice Securities	21
American Linseed	10
American Locomotive	39
American Smelting and Refining	76¾
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	106
American Steel Foundries	38½
American Sugar Refining	117½
American Tel and Tel	136
American Tobacco, pfd	95⅜
American Woolen	31½
Anaconda Mining Co	38
Atchison	109½
Atchison, pfd	102⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	127
Baltimore and Ohio	103⅞
Bethlehem Steel	34½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79⅝
Canadian Pacific	242⅝
Central Leather	28½
Central Leather, pfd	99½
Central of New Jersey	290
Chesapeake and Ohio	79½
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	21¾
Chicago Great Western, pfd	43
Chicago and North Western	145½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	124⅜
C., C., C. and St. Louis	57
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31
Colorado and Southern	53
Consolidated Gas	142¾
Corn Products	14¾
Delaware and Hudson	170
Denver and Rio Grande	27
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	56⅝
Distillers' Securities	34½
Erie	30⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	54¼
Erie, 2nd pfd	43¾
General Electric	160
Great Northern, pfd	131½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	56¾
Illinois Central	140
Interborough-Met	17⅛
Interborough-Met., pfd	68
Inter Harvester	121
Inter-Marine, pfd	16¼
International Paper	11
International Pump	39½
Iowa Central	18¾
Kansas City Southern	33⅛
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67
Laclede Gas	106¾
Louisville and Nashville	146½
Minneapolis and St. Louis	30
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	137½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	34½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66⅞
Missouri Pacific	47⅛
National Biscuit	133
National Lead	54⅝
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	29½
New York Central	107
New York, Ontario and Western	42⅜
Norfolk and Western	106¾
North American	72¾
Northern Pacific	126⅝
Pacific Mail	29¾
Pennsylvania	124⅜
People's Gas (ex. div.)	104½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	95¾
Pittsburg Coal	20
Pressed Steel Car	36
Pullman Palace Car	160
Railway Steel Spring	35¾
Reading	155⅝
Republic Steel	25
Republic Steel, pfd	94
Rock Island Co	30
Rock Island Co., pfd	61½
St. Louis and San Fran, 2nd pfd	45⅜
St. Louis Southwestern	29⅝
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	68½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	48
Southern Pacific	119½
Southern Railway	30⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	91½
Tennessee Copper	37¾
Texas and Pacific	27⅞
Toledo, St. oLuis and Western	20
Toledo, St. L. and West., pfd	47
Union Pacific	185⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	94
United States Realty	72
United States Rubber	39
United States Steel	77⅞
United States Steel, pfd	117⅜
Utah Copper	47
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	57⅞
Wabash	15⅜
Wabash, pfd	33
Western Maryland	60
Westinghouse Electric	70
Western Union	78
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3

The Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 1.—Farmers' Spanish—Firm, at $1.27½ per bushel; Shelled Spanis—No. 1, Spanish, Shelled, 7c. to 7¼c. per lb.; No. 2, Spanish, Shelled, ⅝c. to c. per lb.; Virginias—Firm. Bunch, 5¼ to 5½c. per lb.; Fancy Hand Picked, 4½c. to 5c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 4c. per lb.; Prime, 3¾c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3½c. to 4c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 3c. to 3½c. per lb.

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E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Bucklen's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, Aug. 4th.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M. Wednesday, Aug. 3rd:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 82 degrees; at 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 74 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall during the day, .00 inch; for the month, 3.63 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Wednesday, 1.7 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Unsettled weather, with probably showers Friday and Saturday; light to moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—August 4th.

Sun rises	5:27 A. M.
Sun sets	7:10 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 43 min.
High water at Southport	3:58 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	6:58 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 3, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	96	76	.0
Asheville	cloudy	76	66	.74
Atlanta	cloudy	82	66	.0
Augusta	cloudy	86	74	.16
Birmingham	clear	86	68	.0
Boston	clear	66	58	.0
Charleston	cloudy	86	78	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	82	72	.70
Chicago	cloudy	72	64	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	88	72	.18
Memphis	cloudy	86	70	.0
Mobile	clear	88	70	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	86	70	.80
New Orleans	cloudy	92	74	.0
New York	cloudy	74	66	.0
Palestine	pt cldy	98	76	.0
Oklahoma	clear	90	66	.12
Pittsburg	cloudy	88	66	1.46
Raleigh	raining	88	68	.54
Savannah	cloudy	86	76	.16
Shreveport	cloudy	92	70	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	86	68	.28
Washington	cloudy	86	72	.34

Charlotte, N. C., July 29.—Lave Cross, for over two years manager of the Charlotte team of the Carolina Association, tendered his resignation to the directors tonight, effective at once. Cross has been in failing health for some days and this led to his action. His successor has not been chosen.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender, county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 10 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said brinch north 60 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 12 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 990 feet, to the beginning, containing one hunded (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

E. G. CARRIER, Mortgagee.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER — ENTRY OF LAND, NO. 8124.

To John Haar, Entry Taker of New Hanover County:

The undersigned claimant, being a citizen of the State of North Carolina, hereby sets forth and shows that the following tract of land lying and being in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, particularly described as follows:

About opposite Station No. 6, of Tidewater Power Company, on Wrightsville Beach, bounded on the north by Back Channel and Greenville Sound, on the east by Back Channel, on the south by Mud Beach, and on the west by Greenville Sound or Money Island Bay, containing about one-fourth of an acre, is vacant and unappropriated land, belonging to the State of North Carolina and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimant hereby makes entry of, lays claim to, and prays for a grant for said land.

This 1st. day of August, 1911.

A. A. HERGENROTHER, Claimant.

Witness:

CHAS. C. LOUGHLIN.

Entered and filed Aug. 1st, 1911.

JOHN HAAR, Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by Robert Lovick and wife, Florence Lovick, to Walter P. Gafford, duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 61, page 231, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, on Wednesday, the 30th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate situate in the County of New Hanover, to-wit: Beginning in the western line of Eleventh street, 165 feet from its intersection with the northern line of Queen street, running thence westwardly parallel with Queen 165 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Eleventh street 33 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Queen street 165 feet, to the western line of Eleventh street; thence southwardly along the western line of Eleventh street 33 feet, to the beginning, the same being part of lot 4, in block 82, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington.

jy30-30d WALTER P. GAFFORD.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of mortgage, made by John Woods and wife, Mattie Woods, to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded respectively in Book 56, page 309, and Book 58, page 277, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Rankin street, 165 feet East of Wood Street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence Northwardly, parallel with Wood street 66 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Rankin Street 33 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Wood Street 66 feet to the beginning.

This 15th of July, 1911.

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NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Masonboro Township. Entry of Land, No. 9123.

The undersigned claimants, being citizens of the State of North Carolina, hereby set forth and show that the following tract or parcel of land, to wit: Lying and being in Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows, viz: Lying in the marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel, and beginning at the mouth of Jennett's Creek, and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the Sound about four hundred and fifty (450) yards, to the mouth of Shell Bed creek; thence southwardly with the run

SPLENDID PARADE OF THE VETERANS

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brought forth frequent cheers from along the line of march, for it was the sound of the drum and fife that the veterans went forth to battle in the days of the war. Before starting the parade Cape Fear Camp presented every veteran in line with a handsome Confederate battle flag and the Stars and Bars fluttered gaily in the breeze along the whole formation.

At corner of Market and Front streets the parade passed in review before General J. S. Carr, of Durham, State commander.

In General Carr's carriage were the North Carolina sponsor, Miss Ellinor Ramsay, of Salisbury, appointed in place of Mrs. Sidney H. Cooper, of Henderson, who could not attend the reunion this year; Miss Bessie Burkheimer, of General Carr's staff, and Mrs. H. D. Burkheimer, of Charlotte, poetess of the North Carolina Division, and Miss Sallie Oldham, of Wilmington.

Other sponsors and maids of honor in the parade were:

First Brigade—Miss Lula Jay Harriss, of Concord, sponsor; Miss Mary McDougal, of Statesville, and Miss Loma Alexander, of Monroe, maids of honor.

Second Brigade—Miss Betsie London, of Pittsboro, sponsor; Miss Belle Moncure, of Raleigh, maid of honor.

Third Brigade—Miss Nellie MacMillan, of Wilmington, sponsor; Miss May Wiggins and Miss Alice Davis, both of Wilmington, maids of honor.

Fourth Brigade—Miss Bert Simpson, of Point Caswell, sponsor; Miss Isabelle Williams, of Wilmington; Miss Hemens Simpson, of Point Caswell, and Miss Dolly Williamson, Charlotte, maids of honor. The sponsor and maids of honor were selected by Maj. R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, at the request of General Ray, owing to the small number of ladies here from the western part of the State.

Pender county Daughters of the Confederacy were represented in the parade by Mrs. Carroll, of Burgaw, president of the Chapter; Miss Mattie Hawes, of Atkinson, and Mrs. E. L. Larkins, of Burgaw, in charge of Maj. R. P. Paddison, of General Carr's staff.

All the automobiles in which the sponsors and maids of honor rode were handsomely decorated with Confederate flags and those modern vehicles seemed strangely out of place with the veterans and the memories that the sight of them inspired. Nevertheless, the motor cars served to add a touch of interest to the occasion.

The parade brought to a close the formal features of the most successful and enjoyable reunion ever held in the State. It was stated by many of the veterans that this has been the best attended meeting in the history of the State organization, and there were fully twice as many veterans present here as attended the reunion at Norfolk in 1910. Then too, the officers and the men of the different brigades are emphatic in their statements that the reunion this year was the most enjoyable that they have ever attended. The many advantages of Wilmington, with its seaside resorts, for a gathering of this kind, has gone far toward helping to make the reunion such a success, and above this are the efforts of the citizens to make the veterans' stay in the City by the Sea as pleasant as possible. But deserving by far the most credit for the success of the reunion are the officers and members of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, United Confederate Veterans, who were the hosts of the occasion. Due to the untiring efforts of the different committees, headed by Adjutant L. Leon, of the camp, everything was in readiness for the entertainment of the visitors and all features of the occasion passed off without the slightest confusion or mishap. Not an accident of any kind was reported, which is a gratifying fact considering the nearly two thousand veterans who were on the streets each day.

All the veterans were lavish in their praise of the hospitality of the people of Wilmington and the splendid entertainment that has been accorded them and many of them expressed a wish to return to the seaport city for another reunion at some future time.

Many of the visitors left yesterday and last night for their homes, but there are still a number in the city and at Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend some time. Some of the partings witnessed yesterday and last night were truly pathetic. The gray-haired men realize that many of them will never meet again and as they clasped each other by the hand and spoke the farewell words in broken voices, it was not uncommon to see a tear stealing down the seamed and wrinkled faces of the old comrades.

Notes of the Reunion.

At the veterans mess hall in the Bonitz building on Market street yesterday, 681 meals were served for breakfast, 815 for dinner and 600 for supper. It was announced yesterday that the last meal served would be supper last evening, but it has been decided to serve breakfast yet this morning. Assistant Chief W. P. Monroe, of the Wilmington fire department, who has been in charge of the mess hall, has accomplished wonders in the efficient way in which he handled the task of feeding hundreds of veterans three times a day, and it is no wonder that the veterans spoke in such warm terms of praise for him. Probably Capt. Monroe has more homes now than any other man in North Carolina. Veterans from the cloud-capped crests of the Blue Ridge to the sand strewn shores of Eastern Carolina have extended to this clever officer of the fire department cordial invitations to visit them and stay as long as he pleases. The "boys of '61" appreciated his services and they did not hesitate to say so.

There were few disagreeable features to the reunion, but in a gathering of men as large as the one which has been quartered in Wilmington for the past few days some drunkenness will always prevail. Yesterday afternoon on a concrete fence surrounding a certain lot in the city sat a man, gray haired, stooped and old, and sadly under the influence of whiskey. This man was a member of the North Carolina Division, U. C. V. Clad in his worn and tattered clothes, with a battered old derby covering his white hair and the frayed stump of what had once been a cigar clutched in his teeth, he was a touchingly forlorn picture of utter dejection. Strayed away from his comrades or forsaken by them, he had stopped for a moment to reason it all out. As he sat there bowed down in his misery, he, of course, attracted some attention from the passing throng. Some of them glanced at him in pity, and then went their way. Others regarded him as a joke and made "funny" remarks about him. Yet this man once wore the gray of the Confederacy and fought bravely for a hallowed cause.

The chief marshal, J. VanB. Metts, and his aides, Messrs. S. M. Boatwright, Clayton Giles, Jr., Thos. H. Wright and Col. T. C. James, much credit is due for the successful way in which the parade passed off yesterday. Only one slight accident occurred on the crowded streets and in that mishap a veteran was not the victim. Mrs. J. S. Brinson, of Folkstone, attempted to cross at Front and Market streets in company with her husband, Dr. J. S. Brinson, and Miss Edith Mowbry. In the crowd and the confusion she failed to note an oncoming street car and stepped squarely in front of it. When the car struck her, Mrs. Brinson was picked up by the fender and carried for some distance before the car could be stopped. She was taken to Bellamy's drug store and examination showed that her injuries only consisted of a few slight bruises and a bad scare. Aside from this nothing happened to mar the success of the parade.

Officers of the Cape Fear Camp state that they wish to tender their thanks to Messrs. J. N. Fennell, C. Leon, John Maylan, Allen Norwood, Harold Moss and Jack Cranmer for their services at the depot in assisting in the directing of the veterans to the hotels and lodging places. These gentlemen worked all the while the visitors were arriving, attending to their self-imposed task with commendable self denial.

Probably the most thoroughly organized and equipped body of men attending the reunion were the members of the Henry L. Wyatt Camp, of Henderson, Vance county, Maj. W. H. Hoover, commanding. This camp numbers on its roll 60 veterans and 40 of them were in attendance on the reunion. All the officers were present except the adjutant and the men were all clad in uniform. They brought three flags with them, too. Maj. O. R. Smith, who claims to be the oldest soldier in the State, is a member fo this camp, and was present at the reunion. Maj. Smith is the designer of the Stars and Bars, the emblem of the Confederacy up until 1863. In addition to serving in the war between the States, Major Smith also saw service in the Mexican war. Some of the members of this camp left yesterday and last night for their homes, while others will remain here for several days.

Brigadier General J. M. Ray, of Asheville, commander of the Fourth Brigade, wore at the reunion the same uniform in which he was clad during the latter part of the war. This uniform is in a remarkably good state of preservation and it is highly prized by Gen. Ray on account of the associations.

Miss Bessie Burkheimer, of Charlotte, who attended the reunion as a member of Gen. Julian S. Carr's staff, is the guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pickett, on Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Burkheimer, of Charlotte, attended the reunion and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burkheimer, on North Fourth street.

Miss Lula Jay Harris, of Concord, sponsor of the First Brigade, and Miss Mary McDougal, of Statesville, and Miss Loma Alexander, of Monroe, are spending some time at the Oceanic Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach.

Little Miss Ruth Porter, of Charlotte, mascot of the Mecklenburg Camp, whose recitations so stirred the great assemblage of veterans in the Academy of Music Wednesday morning, is the guest of Mr. Shakespeare Harriss, of Concord, at the Oceanic Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach. Miss Porter, who is coming to be known as the "best little Confederate in North Carolina," is a universal favorite with the veterans of the State, and the battle scarred heroes would obey her commands just as quick as they would those of their generals.

General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, commander of the North Carolina Division, United Confederate Veterans, left last night on the 7 o'clock train for his home. General Carr declared that the reunion this year has been the most successful and enjoyable in the history of the State organization, and that Wilmington entertained the veterans in a splendid manner.

Mr. John R. Hawes and sister, Miss Mattie Hawes, of Atkinson, attended the reunion yesterday.

Hon. J. A. Long, of Roxboro, was a prominent veteran attending the reunion.

PRESIDENT HILL SPEAKS.

Farmers' Union—Rally at Clinton—Two Accidents Reported.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., Aug. 3.—President D. H. Hill, of the A. & M. College, at Raleigh, made a fine address here today before a meeting of the Farmers' Union held to consider the proposed establishment of a farm life school for Sampson county.

W. J. Matthews, a prominent farmer of Rose Hill, was driving through the country to Clinton yesterday when his seven-year-old daughter slipped from the seat and falling under a wheel was run over and suffered a fracture of one of her legs between the knee and hip.

The 12-year-old daughter of Mrs. L. C. Fisher, of Roseboro, was stricken with appendicitis at Turkey near here today and was tonight taken to a hospital in Fayetteville for surgical attention.

Berlin, Aug. 3.—Prof. Reinhold Begas, the most renowned sculptor in Germany, is dead at the age of 80.

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CAROLINIANS AT THE CAPITAL.

Side-Lights of Congress as Seen by "Red Buck."

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, Aug. 3.—There is much speculation here as to the time the Senatorial primary will be held in North Carolina. The general impression is that it will be on the day of the election, November, 1912, after the local fights for nominations are over and at a time that everybody is at the polls.

"I am anxious to see how many counties go solidly," said a visitor today." Kitchin had Person and Stokes and Craig, Johnston, Dare, Watauga, Mitchell, Cleveland, Yancey, Madison, and all the Tenth District, save Haywood, in the fight for governor three years ago."

Representative Webb is not worrying about his future. In opposing Canadian reciprocity, as provided in the Taft agreement, he believes that he represented his constituents. His protest against revising the cotton schedule until other schedules affecting the cotton mill industry was not heard, but he made it for his people. This is the way he looks at it. He will run on his record.

Former Sheriff Kerney, of Franklin county, is a remarkable Tar Heel. He is three score and ten, and is learning to walk on an artificial leg. Mr. Kerney had the misfortune to break his leg, and lose it about six months ago. At his age none but a vigorous person would survive such an ordeal as he passed through.

Sheriff Kerney and Senator Simmons are good friends. The Senator called on him the other night.

The North Carolina Senators were in the thick of the fight on the wool bill. Senator Simmons was one of the first to suggest and urge a coalition of Democrats and Insurgents. Senator Overman did not enthuse much over this proposition, but, good Democrat that he is ,when the caucus acted he stood hitched. After the La-Follette bill was substituted for the Underwood bill he did some very clever work in getting House members to agree to ask for a conference. He indulged in a buttonholing campaign the like of which was never seen here before. He saw the serious situation that confronted the Democrats. House Leader Underwood, and a real leader he is, did not want to treat with the Senate, but Senator Overman and others helped to bring him around. As a result, it looks now as if Congress would put through a good wool bill.

H. E. C. B.

AFTER INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Eleven in Philadelphia May be Dissolved—The Charge.

Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 3.—Dissolution of the 11 mutual fire insurance companies of Philadelphia brought into court by State Insurance Commissioner Samuel W. McCulloch, and charged with operating in a "dishonest and unsafe manner," will be made by the Dauphin county court tomorrow morning as the result of some startling testimony produced today. The companies, which are enjoined from business last month by an order of the court, were shown to have been in the control of one man, David Balaity, of Philadelphia, whose income was variously stated to have been from $30,000 to $50,000 from the business done by the concerns.

The companies are: George Washington, Metropolitan, Colonial, Integrity, People's, Mercantile, Imperial, Loval, Fair Mount, Columbia, and Schuylkill.

The charge was made by Deputy Attorney General Cunningham that the companies were organized and conducted by "dummy" officers and directors and when men, whose names figured as "presidents" and other officers, took the stand they swore that they had not signed policies, but that their signatures had been obtained from writing on slips of paper or charter applications and reproduced by rubber stamps. Some of the witnesses testified that they did not even know they were officers until told by detectives.

Evidence was presented by men and women who were connected with companies, that claims were seldom paid and then only after much trouble.

Herman L. Robinson, a witness, testified that he was 19 years old and had no home until he was mare "president" of two companies, and given clothing and warm meals.

HEROISM OF NAVAL OFFICER.

Lieut. Wm. V. Tomb Commended for Deed July 21 Under Water.

Washington, Aug. 3.—To crawl around under twenty feet of water feeling among the sharp barnacles which cover the bottom of a big ship is not the safest and pleasantiest task, yet that is what Lieut. William V. Tomb, United States navy, attached to the cruiser Maryland, did on July 21 last.

A sailor had fallen overboard and drowned and it was supposed that his body had been swept under the bilges. It would take some time to rig up a diving apparatus, so Lieut. Tomb did not wait, but, tying a life rope around his body, he plunged into the sea and made a long search of the ship's bottom.

Official recognition of his bravery has been given in a letter addressed to Lieut. Tomb by Acting Secretary Winthrop.

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FATALITY AT HORSE SHOW.

U. D. Benner, of Warrenton, Va., Dies From His Injuries.

Charlottesville, Va., Aug. 3.—U. D. Benner, of Warrenton, Va., was thrown from his horse in the high jump event at the Orange Horse Show today and so badly injured that he died tonight. He was socially prominent and was well known in athletics in the University of Virginia.

In the same event Joseph Ladd, of this county, also was thrown and narrowly escaped being trampled to death. He is in the hospital tonight with a broken collar bone, and in addition is suffering from severe bruises and may have been internally injured.

Benner had entered his horse, Hant-A-Tout in the high jump event and had put his mount to the bars when the animal shied. The action was so sudden that the rider was thrown heavily, alighting on his head. At the hospital, to which he was hurried, it was found that he had sustained a fractured skull and that two broken ribs had penetrated his lungs.

The victim leaves a widow and child, who were among the spectators at the show today. He won collegiate fame by his work on the University of Virginia baseball team.

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I HAVE FOR SALE pair of young dapple gray horses, weighing 3,300 lbs.; one pair extra good carriage horses, with fine style; one nice small turnout, lady-broke; one fast mare, and other fine driving horses for sale at Burgaw, N. C. J. J. Bardin. au4-5t

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WANTED—To rent small furnished cottage on Wrightsville Beach for two weeks or more, not later than Aug. 15th. Write, giving price, etc., to Box 247, Burgaw, N. C. au4-1t*

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LOST—Yesterday, a bunch of keys on flat key ring. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Star Office. au4-2t

FOR RENT—At once, desirable three-room cottage, Wrightsville; unexcelled location in Hamby yard; $20 for remainder of season; occupancy immediate. P. O. Box 631. au4-1t*

LOST—On train No. 50, between Whiteville and Wilmington, Friday, July 28th, 1911, one 18-k. open face, 12-size gold watch with gold face and hands. Royal Waltham movement; monogram in back, "E. C. E.," in case, "P. H. C. to G. G. F." and "G. G. F. to G. G. F., Jr." Silk fob; charm, half dollar, 1905, pressed head. If found return to Clayton Giles & Co., Wilmington, N. C., and get reward. au3-4t

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